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GREAT BRITAIN STILL MASTER OF THE SEAS SAY NAVAL OFFICERS

British Public Believes Naval Battle Was Not So Near a Defeat as at First Seemed.

IN NO WISE A DISASTER

German Losses Believed to be as Great in Number of Ships But Less in Tonnage.

ENGLAND IS IN MOURNING

Hundreds of Her Best Seamen Went Down in the Fight.

London, June 3. — The latest reports from the British fleet, from neutral vessels which witnessed parts of the great naval battle in the North Sea, and from survivors, cause the British public to believe that the engagement was not so near a defeat as at first appeared, and in no wise a disaster. The British losses with the craft engaged, accounted for, were three battle cruisers, three cruisers and eight destroyers.

The German losses are believed to have been about the same number of ships, although a much less aggregate of tonnage.

British naval experts maintain that Great Britain continues to hold the supremacy of the sea by a safe margin, and that her enormous navy could better afford the losses it suffered than could the smaller German establishment.

Number of Dead Unknown.

The first reports of the heavy loss of life, unhappily, have not been revised. Great Britain mourns for more than 4,000 of her best seamen and the whole nation is oppressed with sadness, which is reflected in the faces of all the people of London.

There were some 6,000 on the ships which sank, and only a few hundred have been saved. The horrors of modern naval warfare, far exceeding those when wooden ships fought and continued to float even when they ceased to be fighting units, were realized to their utmost. From five of the largest ships which went under with a complement of more than 4,000 men, only seven junior officers and a few seamen were rescued.

Were No Surrenders.

Rear Admiral the Honorable Horace Lambert Hood, second in command to Vice Admiral Sir David Beatty, and Captains Sowerby, Cay and Prowse were lost with many others, whose names are not yet known because the government has not so far issued any casualty list. There were no surrenders and the ships which went down carried with them virtually their whole crews. Only the Warrior which was towed part of the way from the scene of battle to a British port, was an exception.

Of some thousand men on the Queen Mary, only a corporal's guard is accounted for. The same is true of the Invincible, while there are no survivors reported from the Indefatigable, the Defence or the Black Prince.

Statements Conflict.

It is impossible to visualize any coherent story of the great battle which lasted many hours with the different units at times fighting scattered engagements. The British and German reports contradict each other flatly on the main fact. The British assert that the German fleet retired when the British battleships appeared, while the German official statement maintains that the German forces were in battle with the entire British fleet.

The British assert that they had only two divisions engaged and that all the units of these were not able to participate in the fighting and, furthermore, that Admiral Sir John Jellicoe, commander of the Grand fleet, remained in the area of the battle after the Germans had radiated and swept it thoroughly in search of enemy ships and survivors.

The king's message to Admiral Jellicoe states that the Germans robbed the British of the opportunity of gaining a decisive victory by retiring immediately after the opening of the general engagement.

Were No Surprises.

Vice Admiral Beatty, commanding the battle cruiser squadron, presumably on his old flagship, the Lion, was again in the thick of the action. Every arm of modern naval warfare was employed —battleships, cruisers, torpedo boats, destroyers, submarines and even Zeppelins. Whether most of the destruction was accomplished by gun fire or torpedoes is not yet known. British officers say that the battle was fought by the methods known and practiced by all navies. There were no surprises and no new devices of weapons or strategy.

How far the Zeppelins contributed to the German successes is a matter of dispute. Only one airship came within sight, according to the British accounts, and she was soon badly damaged and withdrew, but the Germans lay stress on the assistance rendered

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GERMANS POSSIBLY LOST 8 WARSHIPS

In Addition to These, Six Destroyers and One Submarine Were Sunk by the British.

CLAIMS STILL CONFLICTING

Revised British Losses, According to Admiralty, Were Three Battle Cruisers, Three Cruisers, 12 Destroyers and U-Boat.

Conflicting claims continue to cloud the issue of the great naval battle fought off the Jutland coast on Wednesday last.

There is no such great disparity in losses as at first appeared in the British and German reports, according to British admiralty officials, who claim that later reports show that two German battle cruisers went down, while London announces the receipts of a wireless dispatch from Berlin carrying an admission from the German admiralty that another German battleship in addition to the Pommern, was sunk.

Berlin has issued no further statement regarding the German losses, which initially were given as one battleship, two light cruisers and several destroyers.

Revised British Reports.

If the revised British reports are accepted, the losses in ships were approximately as follows:

British—Three battle cruisers (Queen Mary, Indefatigable and Invincible), three armored cruisers (Defence, Black Prince and Warror), about a dozen destoyers and one submarine.

German—Two battleships (Westfalen and Pommern), two battle cruisers, unnamed, four light cruisers (including the Weisbaden, Enbing and Frauenlob), six destroyers and a submarine.

The British admiralty in addition has admitted that the battleship Marlborough was struck by a torpedo, but declares she was towed safely to port. It denies the German claim that the dreadnaught Warspite was sunk, although conceding that she was damaged by gunfire.

Germans Greatly Elated.

The Germans are greatly elated at the outcome of the engagement, in which their main fleet under Admiral Scheer and the British, whose main fleet they assert also was engaged. That the Germans held the field after the battle is shown, they declare, by the fact that the Germans picked up survivors of British warships that went down.

London officially denies that the British grand fleet was in the action. The battle cruiser squadron, which is reported to have rushed between the Germans and their base, seems to have borne the brunt of the fight. Eleven British battleships eventually went into the battle, it is admitted, but of these several are declared to have been only partly engaged.

The British losses in officers were extremely heavy, the list including Rear Admiral Horace Hood, who went down with his flagship, the Invincible; Captain Sowerby, of the Indefatigable; Captain Cay, of the Invincible, and Captain Prowse, of the Queen Mary. The total British losses are estimated at about 5,000.

British the Victors?

The British admiralty made an official statement reviewing the battle in some detail. He declared that the British went out looking for a fight, engaged the entire German high sea fleet, interrupted its plans, and drove it back to port. The Germans, he said, sprang no surprise. Only one Zeppelin was seen, and that was driven off, and no 17-inch guns were in evidence.

A semi-official statement issued in Berlin declares that the Germans faced the greater part of the modern British navy, the battle cruisers,2 and light cruisers, beginning the engagement, while later the main forces on both sides took part in the attack. German torpedo boats did notable work, both during the daylight battle and during the night, while naval airships and aeroplanes contributed greatly to the German success, it is claimed.

Further Progress by Germans.

In the land fighting, the Germans have made further progress on the Verdun front, gaining ground in the Vaux sector, northeast of the fortress, and beating off a French counter-attack. They also scored a success against the British in Belgium, capturing heights near Zillebeke, southeast of Ypres. The Austrians claim the gaining of additional ground against the Italians in the southern Tyrol, reporting the capture of several positions of strategic importance in the Arsiero region.

CLAIMS THE ENTIRE BRITISH FLEET ENGAGED IN BATTLE

Berlin, via London, June 3. — A secondary official statement issued today by the chief of the admiralty staff, says:

"In order to prevent fabulous reports, it is again stated that in the battle of Skagerak on May 31 the German high sea forces were in battle with the entire modern English fleet.

"To the already published statements it must be added that, according to the official British report the battle cruiser Invincible and the armored cruiser Warrior were also destroyed.

"We were obliged to blow up the

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THOUSANDS MARCH WHILE A MILLION PERSONS LOOK ON

Chicago Gives Its Endorsement of Adequate Programme for National Preparedness.

130,214 IN GREAT PARADE

Requires Over Eleven Hours for the Marchers to File Past the Reviewing Stand.

Chicago, June 3.—While a million spectators looked on and cheered 130,214 persons, including nearly 25,000 women, marched through the streets of Chicago today as an endorsement of an adequate programme for national preparedness. It was the largest parade this city has ever seen, and for eleven and a half hours the various divisions were filing past the reviewing stand in Grant Park, the last divisions being made up largely of military organizations.

The city was completely given over to the demonstration which began at 9 o'clock in the morning, after a salute of 21 guns. The enthusiasm grew as the day went on and the crowds increased. They cheered striking bits of the parade—the street sweepers in their white uniforms, the golfers with their clubs, with flags attached, the telephone girls, the nurses, the lawyers, the judges, the big contingent of insurance men whose banner asserted that "preparedness is national insurance," and a host of others.

The most impressive incident of the day was the stoppage of th ewhole line at 2 o'clock when the marchers and spectators joined in singing "America," 300 bands playing the accompaniment.

There were factory girls in the line, and millionaires, but there was no way of telling a millionaire from a clerk from his position in the parade. Samuel Insul, born in England, head of a great public utility corporation, carred his cheap little flag as obscurely as any.

It was true, also, of Leonard Busby and Britton I. Budd, respective heads of the surface and elevated lines of the city and George M. Reynolds and Jas. B. Forgan, heads of the two largest banks in Chicago, who headed the division of bankers.

Mayor Thompson, General Barry, Judge Landis, Secretary of the Interior Lane and Arch Willard, who painted the famous "Spirit of '76" were among those in the reviewing stand.

Among the groups for which the rheers swelled the loudest were the G. A. R. veterans, the Spanish-Amerilan war veterans, and the 1,000 students from the University of Illinois, where military training is a part of the course. The dry goods division, nsmbering more than 20,000, carried an immense flag, 50 by 30 feet. There were 2,000 telephone girls in line, some garbed to form a "living flag" while others wore their work uniforms. There was also a division of nurses.

The spirit of marchers and onlookers was remarkably sincere, and peddlers of noise-making novelties made small sales.

The route of march was 3 1-4 miles long and the precision with which the parade moved was said to be a lesson in preparedness. The various groups of marchers assembled at 120 sub-stations and orders were given by telephone.

A banner inquiring if the marchers were sure they wanted preparedness was cut down by the police from along the route, and two men, who said it had been sent them from New York by the woman's peace party, were arrested.

JOINT CONFERENCE RAILROAD MANAGERS AND EMPLOYES OPENS

A. B. Garretson Explains "Saving Clause" of the Demands.

New York, June 3.—The joint conference of railroad managers and heads of the four brotherhoods of their employes on the demands of the employes for an eight-hour basic pay day opened today with an explanation by A. B. Garretson, spokesman for the men, of what is known as the "saving clause" of their demands. This provides, said Mr. Garretson, that whatever settlement is reached it shall not cause a reduction in pay schedules on any road which may be higher than those provided for in the settlement.

Elisha Lee, chairman of the railroad managers, wanted to know how this would apply where a monthly salary basis was in effect.

W. S. Stone, head of the engineers' organization, replied that if the monthly allowance is better than the settlement arrived at, the men would have the privilege of retaining that allowance.

Working conditions under existing rules were being compared with conditions as they would prevail under the proposed new scheduled when the conference adjourned until Monday.

MRS. W. B. FLOWERS, WIFE OF LUMBERTON MAN, IS SHOT

Probably Fatally Wounded by Don Anderson, Who Kills Himself.

Durham, N. C., June 3. — Don Anderson, of Winston-Salem, aged 22, is dead, and Mrs. May Flowers, aged 20, wife of W. B. Flowers, a carpenter, of Lumberton, now at work in Durham, is probably fatally wounded as the result of shots fired by Anderson today. Anderson came to Durham yesterday, and this morning while talking to the woman at her boarding house, shot her and then killed himself. The police expressed the opinion that the shooting was the outcome of an old love affair.

CRITICS OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S POLICY ASSAILED

Secretary Lansing Upholds Negotiations Carried on With European Belligerents.

EXPLAINS COURSE PURSUED

Replies to Complaints of More Vigorous Dealing With Germany Than Great Britain.

Watertown, N. Y., June 3.—Secretary Lansing before the Jefferson County Bar Association here tonight scored critics of administration's foreign policy which would have it do more than has been done in the negotiations arising from the war, and replied to those who complain the United States has been more vigorous in its dealings with Germany than with Great Britain.

"The violation of the natural right of life is a much more serious offense against an individual and against his nation," said Secretary Lansing, "than the violation of the legal right of property. Can you doubt for a moment which one gives this government the greatest concern?"

That there was an influence in America and even in Congress which put right of property and right of life on a par, Secretary Lansing declared, showed that the "great heart of the republic is threatened with fatty degeneracy through those who have lost their patriotic vigor; that many Americans have become lovers of ease rather than lovers of national honor."

Mr. Lansing read his address. He said he felt compelled to do so that he might not be misunderstood. The address in part follows:

Lansing's Speech in Part.

"The great war has caused so many conditions, which are entirely new, and presented, so many questions which were never before raised or ever thought of that it has been no easy task to meet and answer them.

"The peoples and government at war are blinded by passion; their opinions are unavoidably biased; their conduct frequently influenced by hysterical impulse, which approach to madness. Patience and forebearance are essential to a neutral in dealing with such nations.

"In a nutshell the situation of our relations with Great Britain and Germany, the two powers with which we have had our principal controversies, is this:

Explains the Situation.

"Germany, having developed the submarine as an offensive engine of destruction, asserts that she cannot on account of the resulting conditions, conform to the established rules of naval warfare, and we should not, therefore, insist on strict compliance.

"On the other hand, Great Britain declares that, on account of the new conditions resulting from submarine activity and the use of mines from the geographical position of Germany she connot conform to the established rules of blockade and contraband, and we should not therefore hold her to strict compliance with those rules.

"Both governments have adopted the same arguments based primarily on military necessity and offer the same excuses for their illegal acts, but neither will admit that the other is in any way justified for its conduct. If we admit that the arguments advanced are sound—and I am sure no one will deny that they are more or less reasonable—and submit to changes in the rules of naval warfare, we will be without any standard of neutral rights.

Government's Only Alternative.

"The only alternative, therefore, is for this government to hold firmly to those neutral rights which international law has clearly defined and to insist vigorously on their observance by all belligerents. In not the slightest degree can the settled rules be modified unless all the parties interested consent to the modifications.

"It is true that the rights violated by the belligerents may differ in importance, and therefore request different treatment. Thus the violation of the natural right of life is much more serious offense against an individual and against his nation than the violation of the legal right of property. There is not and cannot be adequate recompense for the wrongful destruction of life, but property losses may be satisfied by the payment of indemnities. If one belligerent violates the right of life and another belligerent violates the right of property, can you doubt for a moment which one gives this government the greatest concern or which one will call forth the more vigorous protest and the more earnest effort to prevent repetitions for offense."

Life Above Property.

"A government, which places life and property on an equality, would be generally condemned, and justly condemned. Yet, I regret to say, there are some Americans who do not recognize this difference. How many take this view, it is impossible to say, but the number is large judging by some who sit in the halls of Congress.

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THE DAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE.

Met at noon.

Passed miscellaneous bills.

Adjourned at 4:45 P. M. to noon of Thursday.

HOUSE.

Met at noon.

Speeches on Jefferson Davis day delivered by Representatives Aswell and Kincheloe.

Adjourned at 12:58 P. M., to noon of Monday.

SECOND PRIMARY IN 6TH DISTRICT SEEMS NECESSARY

Godwin Receives Large Plurality, But Lacks Considerable of Majority.

RETURNS VERY MEAGRE

Little, Second; Nimocks, Third, and Brown, Fourth, on Face of Reports Received.

Meagre reports from all the seven counties in the Sixth Congressional district received by The Star up to far past midnight, based upon very incomplete returns, indicate conclusively that a second primary will be necessary to nominate a candidate. Congressman H. L. Godwin has a good lead, according to the returns at hand, over any of his opponents, but falls short of a majority over all by a good margin. According to the returns received, Major J. W. Little, of New Hanover, is Mr. Godwin's nearest second, while Hon. Q. K. Nimocks, of Cumberland, ran right close behind the New Hanover man, and Hon. J. A. Brown, of Columbus, ran fourth, but not far behind the Fayetteville man.

There are 89 precincts in the Sixth district. Returns from about 40 of these give Congressman Godwin 1,822 votes; all others, 2,117, as follows: Little, 773; Nimocks, 721; Brown, 536; Young, 87. A late dispatch from Lumberton says that 15 out of the 23 precincts in Robeson give Godwin a majority of six votes over all. The meagerest returns were received from Columbus county, in which it was presumed Brown would get his biggest vote. Consequently, when the returns are in from that county, the Brown vote may put him up in third, or possibly second place.

Returns were received from the seven counties approximately as follows: Robeson, 15 precincts; New Hanover, 10; Cumberland and Bladen, four each; Harnett and Brunswick, two each, and Columbus, one.

The great length of time required to count the long ballots, the lateness of the hour when the polls closed, the nature of the primary that rendered it impossible to get information as to the result before the ballots were counted, and the stormy weather of last night that interrupted telegraph and telephone lines, account for the meagreness of the reports received.

MR. GODWIN MAY HAVE A BARE MAJORITY IN ROBESON COUNTY

Lumberton, N. C., June 3.—Primary passed off quietly in Robeson county today, a very light vote being polled. Fifteen out of 25 precincts heard from at 10 o'clock give Godwin for Congress six votes over the total vote of four competitors.

YOUNG CONCEDES HARNETT TO GODWIN BY 500 TO 600 VOTES

Dunn, N. C., June 3.—Congressional vote here was: Godwin 234; Young 39, Brown 6, Little 2, Nimocks 6. Four townships heard from give Godwin 325 over the field. Godwin claims Harnett county by 800 to 900. Young concedes it by 500 or 600.

NIMOCKS AND LITTLE POLL HEAVY VOTE IN BLADEN

Clarkton, N. C., June 3.—Exact figures from the rural districts are slow coming in, but indications are that Nimocks and Little poll a heavy vote in the county and Godwin will not have a majority. Clark will be nominated for sheriff. Council for the House. Complete returns from two precincts give Godwin 74, Little 71, Nimocks 22, Brown 12, Young 1. Clarkton gives Bickett 79, Daughtridge 5, Clark 33, Hartness 12, Grimes 38. Manning leads for attorney general.

BROWN GETS GOOD MAJORITY AT BOLTON; GODWIN GOOD VOTE

Bolton, N. C., June 3.—Congressional ticket—J. A. Brown 62, H. L. Godwin 34, Q. K. Nimocks 2.

Representative, E. Garland Brown 14, Walter P. Powell 64, D. M. McRackan 43; for sheriff, P. Lennon 2, J. O. Ammons 45, J. R. Blake 6, J. T. Best 70; for county commissioner, R. E. L. Brown 66, K. B. Council 96, Henry Coleman 6, B. F. Pierce 62, J. B. Cox 63, J. C. Stanley 10, B. J. Simmons 1; register of deeds, H. G. Harrelson 6, A. W. Baldwin 112; for coroner, S. A. Smith 111, M. Wright 2.

GODWIN APPEARS TO HAVE HALF THE VOTES IN ROBESON.

Maxton, N. C., June 3.—From best information your correspondent has received tonight from Robeson, Godwin appears to have received about as many for Congress as all the other candidates together.

GODWIN ESTIMATES MAJORITY IN HARNETT AT LEAST 800.

Dunn, N. C., June 3.—Congressman Godwin at 11 o'clock tonight estimated his majority in his home county of Harnett at 800. This estimate is based on five townships complete and he thinks from those heard from his lead will be maintained, giving him a majority of 800. Other estimates run all the way from 400 to Mr. Godwin's figures. Mr. Godwin expressed himself as deeply appreciative of the great support given him in the district.

GODWIN GETS MAJORITY IN TWO BRUNSWICK PRECINCTS

Southport, N. C., June 3.—In the Congressional contest this township gives:

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RETURNS INDICATE VICTORY FOR BICKETT BY LARGE MAJORITY

PROGRAMME AT ST. LOUIS ANNOUNCED

Wilson and Marshall Will be Nominated Democracy's Standard Bearers on June 17.

PLANS ARE DECIDED UPON

Two or Three Expected to be Presented to Convention for Vice President, But Will be Given Only Complimentary Vote.

St. Louis, Mo., June 3.—President Wilson and Vice President Marshall are to be nominated as the Democratic party's standard bearers for the Presidential campaign some time early Saturday morning at the final session of the Democratic national convention. Plans for the convention have practically been agreed upon by National Chairman McCombs and the committee on arrangements.

"We plan to reach the vote of President Wilson about 1 o'clock Saturday morning," said Chairman McCombs tonight, "and expect to proceed with the nomination for Vice President thereafter. There will be no limitation on the life of seconding speeches, but we see no reason why we should not conclude our work some time Saturday morning."

The convention programme, as decided upon, follows:

June 14—Convention called to order at noon by National Chairman McCombs. Reading of call for convention; prayer; roll call of states and announcement of the temporary officers of the convention. Address by temporary chairman. Adoption of rules and the roll call of states on committee selections.

June 15, noon—Report of committee on credentials and other committees to be followed by speeches of prominent delegates on campaign issues and party achievements.

June 16, noon—Report of the committee on platform and resolutions to be followed by speeches of delegates. Adjournment until 8 P. M. for a night session, when nomination for President and Vice President will be undertaken.

June 17—Meeting at noon of new National Committee for purposes of organization and selection of new chairman.

National committeemen here anticipate that probably two or three names will be presented to the convention floor for vice president, but say they will be withdrawn after complimentary votes have been cast and the convention will then re-nominate Vice President Marshall by acclamation.

National Chairman McCombs and his associates expect to attend the early sessions of the Republican National convention.

WILSON APPROVES SENATOR JAMES AS PERMANENT CHAIRMAN

Washington, June 3. — President Wilson has approved the tentative selection of Senator Ollie James, of Kentucky, for permanent chairman of the Democratic convention at St. Louis. This assures the election of the senator by the convention.

As permanent chairman, Senator James will be named to head the committee which will notify Mr. Wilson of his nomination as he did after the Baltimore convention.

Senator Stone, of Missouri, has been tentatively decided upon as chairman of the platform committee, and when he goes to St. Louis probably will carry with him the outlines of the platform drawn up by the President.

COTTON ACREAGE REPORT.

Department of Agriculture Revises Estimates for Last Year.

Washington, June 3.—In a revision of its preliminary estimate of cotton acreage last year based upon results of a special investigation and the Census Bureau ginning report, the Department of Agriculture today announced the area in cultivation at the end of June, last year, as 32,107,000 acres instead of 31,535,000 as reported last july. This estimate will be used by the department in making its cotton acreage estimates this year. The area picked last year is placed at 31,412,000 acres.

The yield of cotton per acre last year is estimated at 170.3 pounds, compared with 209.3 in 1914 and 182 in 1913.

TELEGRAMS TO DAUGHTRIDGE INDICATE BIG MAJORITIES.

Raleigh, N. C., June 3.—The only early primary returns available here were at Daughtridge headquarters. These, signed by representative men in the respective counties, indicate heavy Daughtridge votes. These include Lenoir county, 15 to 20 for Daughtridge; Yancey big majority for Daughtridge; Northampton, 75 per cent for Daughtridge; Rowan, three to one for Daughtridge; McDowell, majority for Daughtridge; Buncombe, two to one for Daughtridge; Haywood, heavy Daughtridge vote; Cumberland, large majority for Daughtridge; Iredell, heavy Daughtridge vote.

No definite figures are available and telegrams are believed to be estimates rather than reflection of actual news from the polls.

New Hanover telegram says three to one for Daughtridge.

Congressman Kitchin Renominated by 7,000 Majority Over Clingman W. Mitchell.

45 COUNTIES HEARD FROM

Second Primaries Appear Necessary for Secretary of State and Attorney General.

AND 2ND DISTRICT RACES

Most of the Incumbents of State Offices Nominated.

Raleigh, N. C., June 3. — Majority Leader Claude Kitchin was today renominated for Congress in the Second North Carolina district by a majority around 7,000, over Clingman W. Mitchell, of Bertie. Every county had been heard from except Bertie. This result came today in the first Statewide legalized primary held in North Carolina.

With 45 counties out of 100 heard from, some of them with incomplete returns, Attorney General T. W. Bickett has a lead over Lieutenant Governor Daughtridge in the contest, which indicates that he will win by at least 20,000 for governor.

With four candidates opposing him, the incomplete returns from the Sixth congressional district indicate that Congressman H. L. Godwin is leading but will have to go in a second primary either with Q. K. Nimocks, of Cumberland, or J. W. Little, of New Hanover.

In the Seventh district, the indications are that H. B. Varner, of Davidson, and Lee D. Robinson, of Anson, will have to go into a second primary. In the Tenth district the reports state that Zebulon V. Weaver has been nominated.

For State officers incomplete returns indicates that there will have to be a second primary between J. Bryan Grimes, incumbent, and J. A. Hartness, of Iredell, for secretary of of state. The other incumbents of State offices all appear nominated.

For attorney general the indications are for a second primary between James S. Manning, of Wake, and Edmund Jones, of Caldwell. Wilson and Marshall win for President and Vice President. There was a light Republican vote for Roosevelt and Hughes, a majority for Roosevelt. No Republicans were voted for on the State and Congressional tickets, as there was no opposition against the man who filed notice of their candidacy.

"ABSOLUTELY NO DOUBT OF BICKETT'S NOMINATION"

Louisburg, N. C., June 4.—Hon. R. B. White, manager for Hon. T. W. Bickett, at midnight made the following statement:

"Reports received up to 12 o'clock from 34 counties, Bickett has carried the following counties by majorities ranging from 200 to 1,200: Alamance, Beaufort, Cabarrus, Chowan, Craven, Davidson, Duplin, Durham, Forsythe, Gastonia, Granville, Guilford, Halifax, Johnson, Lee, Lincoln, Madison, Montgomery, Jones, Person, Robeson, Randolph, Rockingham, Sampson, Vance, Northampton, Warren, Wayne, Franklin gives Bickett over one thousand. Pitt with two precincts to hear from shows Bickett leading by 125. Burke with two precincts missing, Bickett 451, Daughtridge 447. Rowan and Nash go to Daughtridge by small majorities, Martin by 57.

"There is absolutely no doubt of Bickett's nomination. He will carry 75 counties. The Seventh, Eighth, Ninth and Tenth districts are the surest Bickett districts and they include most of the missing counties.

DAUGHTRIDGE PEOPLE CLAIM VICTORY BY 15,000 MAJORITY

Raleigh, N. C., June 3. — At midnight Daughtridge headquarters here gave out a statement, claiming the nomination for governor over Bickett by 15,000 majority; that returns are remarkably slow, only a few of the larger counties being heard from in a general way, but that there are four counties that had been conceded to Bickett in the Daughtridge forecast three days ago that have turned up Daughtridge majorities instead. These are McDowell, Wilkes, Moore and Lenoir.

It is a remarkable fact that there are no definite figures as to results of the primary from as many as ten counties in Raleigh tonight, including those to newspapers and to candidates and political organizations. The absence of any party headquarters charged with getting reports accounts for this. State Democratic headquarters usually provides a great volume of returns election night.

A telegram from Winston-Salem gives Bickett 650 and Daughtridge 270 in that county. Politicians who have scanned the meager returns conclude that the vote for governor is very close, with odds in favor of Bickett, and that these State officers who are running for renomination, including Grimes for secretary of State, are nominated. The

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HUGHES TO LEAD ON FIRST BALLOT

This is Admitted by Republican Organization Leaders—Roosevelt to be Second.

SOME SCHEMING IS DONE

Roosevelt Delegates May Be Used to Defeat Hughes and in Turn the Hughes Men Used to Block Roosevelt's Nomination.

Chicago, June 3.—Republican organization leaders admitted tonight that Charles E. Hughes would get more votes on the first ballot for the presidential nomination than any of his competitors. They estimate his strength on the initial ballot at between 175 and 225.

The organization forces estimated Roosevelt's first ballot strength at less than 150, but admit that his vote will grow when the "favorite son" candidates begin to drop out of the race. This situation, it is said, may lead to a temporary combination of interests between the organization and friends of Roosevelt to fight Hughes in the early hours of voting in the convention.

After First Few Ballots.

What will happen after the first few ballots are taken and the "favorite son" candidates begin quitting the race, nobody seems able to predict. There are outward indications that the Roosevelt men and the organization Republican leaders are paving the way for possible harmony later by numerous talks of an informal character between representatives of each group, although no definite understanding regarding a programme has been reached.

The organization is said to be counting on the assistance of the Roosevelt delegates to defeat Hughes and later to have the Hughes men aid them in preventing Roosevelt from securing the nomination. They thus hope to nominate either one of the favorite sons or a dark horse ewho will be acceptable to the Progressives.

Following is a statement of the number of votes claimed by the managers of the different candidates on the first ballot:

What the Managers Claim.

Hughes 292, Weeks 200, Roosevelt 175, Burton 112, Cummins 106, Fairbanks 93, Root 75, Sherman 65, Knox 56, Brumbaugh 41, Word 30, LaFollette 26, General Wood 15, Dupont 14, Borah 5.

In order to verify the claims of the different candidates there would have to be 1,300 delegates in the convention, while the number of delegates with votes in the gathering is only 985. A suggestion to adopt the party platform before nominating the candidate for President in the convention brought a vigorous protest from the friends of Hughes, who professed to see in the move a scheme to injure the chances of their candidate.

Alexander P. Moore, of Pennsylvania, a delegate and ardent Roosevelt supporter, today said he thought it would be a fine thing if Senator Penrose, of Pennsylvania, could be induced to support Colonel Roosevelt for the presidential nomination and then have the Roosevelt element throw its strength to the Pennsylvania leader for the chairmanship of the Republican National committee for the purpose of running the campaign. It would be best evidence, he said, of a reunited party.

Mr. Penrose said the Moore suggestion had been made to him but he did not care to have any one take it seriously.

Senator Wadsworth, Jr., of New York, issued a statement today which said:

New York for Root.

"Mr. Root's name will be presented to the convention by a majority of the New York convention. His candidacy means no attac kon any other candidates or group. The men urging it are profoundly convinced that he is eminently fit to be President. Mr. Root, if nominated, will carry New York by a big majority. That means 44 electoral votes."

Only about 300 of the delegates had arrived up to tonight. The great influx will begin tomorrow, and Monday night will find virtually all delegates and others who expect to attend the convention on the ground. Numerous state caucuses will be held on Monday night and Tuesday for organization of delegates and assignment of members of committees. There was much activity about the Indiana quarters today. New electric signs pointing the way to the Fairbanks headquarters blazed forth and the Indiana quarters were crowded all day. Supporters of the former vice president are making preparations for a big demonstration in honor of Fairbanks next week.

SOUTH CAROLINA CONTESTS ARE SETTLED BY COMMITTEE

Convention Hall, Chicago, June 3.—Three contests involving South Carolina delegates were settled by the Republican National committee today but efforts to bring about a settlement of the Louisiana contests, regarded as the most significant before the committee, had not succeeded late tonight. The South Carolina contests involved the delegates from the first district, where Gibbes Mitchell was seated over Aaron P. Prioleau; the fourth district, where James A. Briar was seated over William P. Freedman, and the seventh district, where L. A. Hawkins was seated over A. D. Webster.

Twelve delegates are involved in the Louisiana cases. The contesting delegation claims recognition because negroes were barred from the hotel where the state convention was held. Tonight they said they had refused a compromise offer to seat half of each faction. The committee heard the evidence of both sides last night and had hoped that an agreement would be reached today.

Thirty-four delegate contests in seven states have been heard by the committee in three days and the contests yet to be adjusted, not including those of Louisiana are:

Virginia, one district delegate; District of Columbia, two delegates at large; Florida, one district delegate; Georgia, one district delegate; Texas, eight delegates at large and three district delegates.

Concerts at Lumina Today.

Don Richardson's orchestra, 3:30 to 5:30. (Advertisement).

MAY REBUKE CARRANZA FOR OFFENSIVE TERMS

Wilson and Lansing May Confer as to Reply Monday.

Some Officials Think the Answer to the Mexican First Chief Should Be Sharp—Not Consider Withdrawal of Troops.

Washington, June 3.—President Wilson probably will take up with Secretary Lansing Monday the question of framing a reply to General Carranza's new demand that the American troops be withdrawn from Mexico.

Officials have obtained no indication yet as to the form the answer will take further than that it will not yield to the insistence that General Pershing's men retire across the boundary. Because of what are deemed offensive references and statements in the note some officials think the reply should be sharp in character and carry a rebuke for the seeming discourtesy. Others suggest that because the communications prefaces its unusual utterances with the statement that it proposes to be entirely frank and hopes the sensibilities of the United States government will not be wounded, that the reply will ignore the discourteous passages.

Secretary Baker conferred with the President today on Mexican questions but no details were given out.

RETURNS INDICATE VICTORY FOR BICKETT BY LARGE MAJORITY

(Continued From Page One.)

Grimes-Hartness vote appears to be very close. J. S. Manning and Edmund Jones seemed to be pitted for a second primary.

However, the whole situation is as vague as can be tonight, and much of it is pure guesswork.

BIG DAUGHTRIDGE MAJORITIES REPORTED IN MANY COUNTIES

Raleigh, N. C., June 3.—Early returns indicate a surprisingly heavy vote for E. L. Daughtridge, constraining some T. W. Bickett supporters to admit strong probability that Daughtridge is nominated for Governor. However, reports thus far are only estimates and not based on actual count of votes or precinct returns.

Wake returns very slow. Four Raleigh precincts and five country precincts show Daughtridge leading Bickett with considerable majorities, Daughtridge managers claiming Wake by 500 majority. J. Bryan Grimes is far in the lead for secretary of state and J. S. Manning for attorney general. Dellinger has received small majorities in a number of Wake precincts over Shipman for commissioner of labor and printing.

Some notable Daughtridge returns are: C. Ellis Gardner, "Yancy gives Daughtridge heavy vote"; T. H. Vanderford, "Rowan is three to one for Daughtridge"; V. C. Bullard, "Cumberland landslide for Daughtridge"; R. B. Wilson, "Waynesville for Daughtridge, county divided"; Walter T. Wray, "Asheville and Buncombe give Daughtridge handsome majority"; S. H. Farrabee, "Daughtridge and Bickett neck and neck in Catawba"; W. A. Scott, "Vote for Governor very close in Guilford"; L. J. Brandt, "Daughtridge easy winner in Guilford"; K. E. Sutton, "Kinston and Lenoir 150 to 200 majority for Daughtridge"; Joe Garibaldi, "Charlotte gives landslide for Daughtridge"; T. M. Arrasmith, "Orange is giving Daughtridge good majority." Telegrams from Greenville to Daughtridge headquarters report 4 to 1 vote for Daughtridge in Greenville and Pitt county.

MKINNON SAYS HE HAS WON; NO SECOND PRIMARY NEEDED

Maxton, N. C., June 3.—Godwin, for Congress, is leading the field in this county by over 50 per cent. of the vote. Little second and Brown third. Bickett has 500 majority over Daughtridge, Grimes leading Hartness by 750 or more. Lacy two to one over Mann. Sinclair carries this section for attorney general. Young, Lee and Shipman are in the lead.

Lewis has a big lead over Smith for Sheriff of Robeson. In the Legislative fight, Oliver is nominated without opposition and in sharp contest Sellers won over Macair by 300 or more votes.

At 12:30 tonight Major A. J. McKinnon, all smiles, states there is no doubt but that he has received the nomination. He has carried Robeson by 2,500, Scotland by 800, Cumberland 1,100. He claims the Sixth by 5,000 and the Seventh by a big majority. He claims inroads in the Fifth and the Eighth. There will be no second primary, he states, as he has already won.

COLONEL GRIMES SATISFIED HE HAS BEEN NOMINATED

Raleigh, N. C., June 3.—At 11 o'clock 19 of 38 precincts in Wake heard from give Bickett 482, Daughtridge 306, Grimes 521, Hartness 266, Clark 71 Manning 504 against 300 for all other candidates for attorney general.

County officers, Sheriff Sears has 1,575 against 911 for Griffin his opponent. Albert L. Cox, for the Senate, has 1,178 and Bunn 1,076. At the office of Secretary of State Grimes at 11 o'clock it was stated that meager returns were very satisfactory indicating Grimes nomination over Hartness.

Telegram from Alamance to Grimes gave vote for Bickett 351 and Daughtridge 57, with the other State office candidates, Grimes, Manning, Lacy Graham and Young, receiving about the Bickett vote.

Lenoir county is solid for Grimes Wilson almost solid, Chatham 600 majority, Guilford 400, Durham and Cumberland counties big majorities for Grimes. This is the sum total of returns received at Col. Grimes' office.

BICKETT, ROBINSON, GRIMES GET MAJORITIES IN LEE

Sanford, N. C., June 3.—Complete returns from all but Gum Springs, a small voting precinct in Lee county, give the following vote for congressman for the Seventh district: U. L. Spence 20, L. D. Robinson 305, H. B. Varner 78, L. B. Finley 17.

Five out of ten precincts in Lee county, including Sanford and Jonesboro, give the following vote for State officers: Daughtridge 112, Bickett 371, Grimes 277, Hartness 40, Clark 64, Mann 117, Lacy 356, Manning 225, Sinclair 98, Calvert 108, Jones 36, Shipman 341, Dellinger 119, Lee 383, Boyd 94, Hobbs 52, McKinnon 330, Graham 108, Young 297, McClenaghan 173. To-not effect materially leading candidate.

DAUGHTRIDGE GETS A BIG MAJORITY IN CRAVEN COUNTY

Newbern, N. C., June 3.—While the complete returns have not been secured, it is estimated that between 1,200 and 1,300 Craven county Democrats turned out today and cast a ballot in the first legalized primary. The majority of the interest manifested in the primary was devoted to the gubernatorial candidates, secretary of state and the State Senate candidates from the Seventh district.

Out of 1,300 votes cast, Daughtridge probably received 900 and Bickett 500; Haywood Clark and J. Bryan Grimes are said to have between 500 and 600 votes and Hartness the remainder. Lacy is leading by a large majority for state treasury, while Manning has a lead over the other candidates for the office of attorney general. Shipman has 75 per cent of the votes for commissioner of labor and printing, while Lee leads for member Corporation Commission. Graham leads by fully 70 per cent of the votes cast for commissioner of agriculture, while Young has 80 per cent of the votes cast for insurance commissioner. In the race for the State Senate, W. D. Pollock, of Kinston, and F. Brock, of Trenton, have a big lead over the other candidates.

DAUGHTRIDGE GETS MAJORITY IN TWO BRUNSWICK PRECINCTS

Southport, N. C., June 3.—This township gives Bickett 11; Daughtridge 36; Haywood Clark 53; Grimes 43; Hartness 34; Sinclair 131; Calvert 3; Manning 2; Dellinger 13; Shipman 106; Boyd 16; Lee 105; Hobbs 6; McKinnon 69; Graham 49; McClenaghan 5; Young (J. R.) 127.

Town Creek township gives: Bickett 5; Daughtridge 63; Clark 49; Grimes 15; Hartness 3; Lacy 64; Mann 4; Calvert 1, Jones 3; Manning 0; Sinclair 64; Dellinger 3; Shipman 60; Boyd 3; Lee 62; Graham 53; Hobbs 0; McKinnon 15; McClenaghan 54; Young 64.

BICKETT LEADS DAUGHTRIDGE BY BIG MAJORITY IN SAMPSON.

Clinton, N. C., June 3.—Storm put the telephone wires out of commission and information is scarce. Available returns indicate a fairly full vote. Bickett leads Daughtridge by a large majority. Hobbs' home county gave him almost a unanimous vote for commissioner of agriculture. It is a close race between Clark, Grimes and Hartness with a lead probably by Grimes. Judge Manning gets a heavy vote, as does Shipman, Young and Lee.

DAUGHTRIDGE AND BICKETT NECK AND NECK AT BOLTON.

Bolton, N. C., June 3.—State ticket—E. L. Daughtridge 57; T. W. Bickett 54; for Secretary of State, Haywood Clark 70; J. B. Grimes 93, J. A. Hartness 19; for State Treasurer, J. S. Mann 14, B. R. Lacy 88; for Attorney General, N. A. Sinclair, 101, T. H. Calvert 3, Edmund Jones 2; for Commissioner of Labor and Printing, M. L. Shipman 78, D. P. Dellinger, 27; for member of Corporation Commission, W. T. Lee 53, D. L. Boyd 56; for commissioner of agriculture, A. J. McKinnon 82, W. A. Graham 17, S. H. Hobbs 15; for insurance commissioner, James R. Young 96, C. W. McClenaghan 19.

For Judge Superior Court, Eighth district, W. P. Stacy 102, Addison G. Ricaud 10.

For constable, W. L. Peterson 50, L. Postom 72; for court recorder, A. T. Clark 106, C. Brown 23.

DUPLIN DIVIDES BETWEEN BICKETT AND DAUGHTRIDGE

Warsaw, N. C., June 3.—Returns from outlying precincts are slow coming in on account of electrical storm. It is estimated 1,200 votes were cast about evenly divided between candidates for governor. Haywood Clark, James S. Manning, J. R. Young, M. L. Shipman, W. T. Lee have carried the county by safe majorities. Vote close between Lacy and Mann. Geo. E. Ward nominated for Legislature; G. G. Best for sheriff and James J. Bowden for register of deeds; vote close between five candidates for commissioner.

Daughtridge Carries Cumberland.

Fayetteville, N. C., June 3.—Bickett's manager, Col. George McNeill, concedes Cumberland to Daughtridge by 400 majority with seven precincts unheard from. His majority is 322.

KITCHIN SEEMS TO HAVE CARRIED WILSON COUNTY

Wilson, N. C., June 3.—Unofficial reports indicate that Claude Kitchin, candidate for nomination for representative to Congress from the Second district, carries Wilson county over C. W. Mitchell by 600 majority. T. W. Bickett leads Daughtridge for governor with about 400 majority. Congressional contest overshadowed other contests and affected the race for governor. Kitchin workers made strenuous efforts throughout the county all day and worked for Bickett.

From same sources it apears that the county goes for Grimes, secretary of state; Lacy, treasurer; Manning, attorney general; Shipman, commissioner of labor and printing; Lee, corporation commissioner; Graham, commissioner of agriculture, and Young, insurance commissioner.

Presidential ticket received a smaller vote and comparatively few votes cast for vice president.

Deep interest in county contest for representative to Legislature and it seems that John L. Bailey is re-nominated. J. D. Barden leading for clerk of Superior court. No contest in office of register of deeds and sheriff. Severe storm in part of the county has delayed reports from several outlying precincts.

WEAVER APPARENTLY NOMINATED FOR CONGRESS IN THE TENTH

Asheville, N. C., June 3.—With returns far from complete in the Tenth Congressional district, indications point to the nomination of Zebulon B. Weaver as the Democratic candidate for Congress from this district. Counties reporting give Weaver the following majorities: Buncombe 600; Graham 125; Cherokee 150; Transylvania 100. Henderson county will give Judge M. H. Justice a small majority. Justice also claims Rutherford county by 300.

MAJ. McKINNON VERY HOPEFUL LATE LAST NIGHT OF SUCCESS

Maxton, N. C., June 3, (Midnight)—Maj. A. J. McKinnon, candidate for commissioner of agriculture, from returns received at a late hour tonight was very hopeful of success. He is leading in Wake, Durham, Forsythe, Gaston, Craven, Hoke and a host of other counties from which only incomplete returns have so far been received. In Richmond he is advised that he is leading by 1,200 majority; Scotland by 800; Anson 500; Robeson 2,200; Cumberland 1,000 to 1,100; Lee by 200; Edgecombe by 300 and in other counties that he believes will win him success when the complete returns are in.

GUBERNATORIAL RACE IN LENOIR IN DOUBT; OTHERS ARE DECISIVE

Kinston, N. C., June 3.—It will not be known until the last rural precinct has reported, probably hours hence, who carried Lenoir county in the gubernatorial contest. The vote is very close. Manning led for attorney general and incumbents on the State ticket invariably led their opponents in today's Democratic primary in Lenoir county. The only doubtful point as regards State candidates is the gubernatorial majority.

Full congressional returns are not expected for hours. Kitchin adherents tonight claim that the congressman was given 80 or 85 per cent. of the vote polled. The Floor Leader will be given the result from here. This city voted 18 to 1 for Kitchin. W. D. Pollocks of Kinston, is thought certain to have led in the seventh senatorial district contest. Leaders here cannot pick a winner from the four other candidates for the second nomination. Remote precincts may not report before late tomorrow.

BICKETT HAS A LARGE LEAD OVER DAUGHTRIDGE IN ANSON.

Wadesboro, N. C., June 3.—Unofficial returns give Robinson for Congress practically the unanimous vote of Anson. Bickett has a large lead over Daughtridge. J. D. Horne defeated Thomas two to one for the legislature. B. H. Crowder has lead enough to nominate for register of deeds. McKinnon is Anson's choice for commissioner of agriculture. Hartness is leading in four precincts. Mann leads for treasurer. Jones is away in the lead for attorney general.

ROBINSON CARRIES HIS OWN COUNTY BY 1,500 MAJORITY

Wadesboro, N. C., June 3.—With three precincts to hear from, Robinson has a majority of 1,400. His majority will reach 1,600. Lee county gives Robinson a small majority, one precinct to hear from. Davidson gives Robinson a vote of over four hundred. His manager claims Montgomery for Robinson.

BICKETT, CLARK AND MANNING GET MAJORITIES IN WAYNE

Goldsboro, N. C., June 3.—Today's primary passed off quietly with following result: For State Senate, Matt H. Allen has majority of 50 over all candidates with three small precincts to be heard from; for House of Representatives, W. A. Dees and McJ. Tatem, are nominated; register of deeds, S. E. Grantham, nominated by good majority; for coroner, C. C. Baker, by close majority; county commissioners, only one man nominated, F. B. Jordan.

For Governor, Bickett carried the county by 2 to 1 majority; attorney general, James S. Manning by small majority; for secretary of state, Haywood Clark over-whelmingly carried the county; M. L. Shipman is in the lead for commissioner of labor and printing; W. T. Lee is leading in the vote for Corporation Commission; Mann is in lead for treasurer. For commissioner of agriculture W. A. Graham, and A. J. McKinnon, are in lead. For insurance commissioner, J. R. Young is leading. The national ticket was voted straight, no one scratching the ticket. There was no opposition for offices of county sheriff or congressman in Third district.

KITCHIN FORCES CLAIMING 7,000 MAJORITY IN DISTRICT

Rocky Mount, N. C., June 3.—With every county heard from save Green and Bertie, the Kitchin forces are claiming the second district by a ma-

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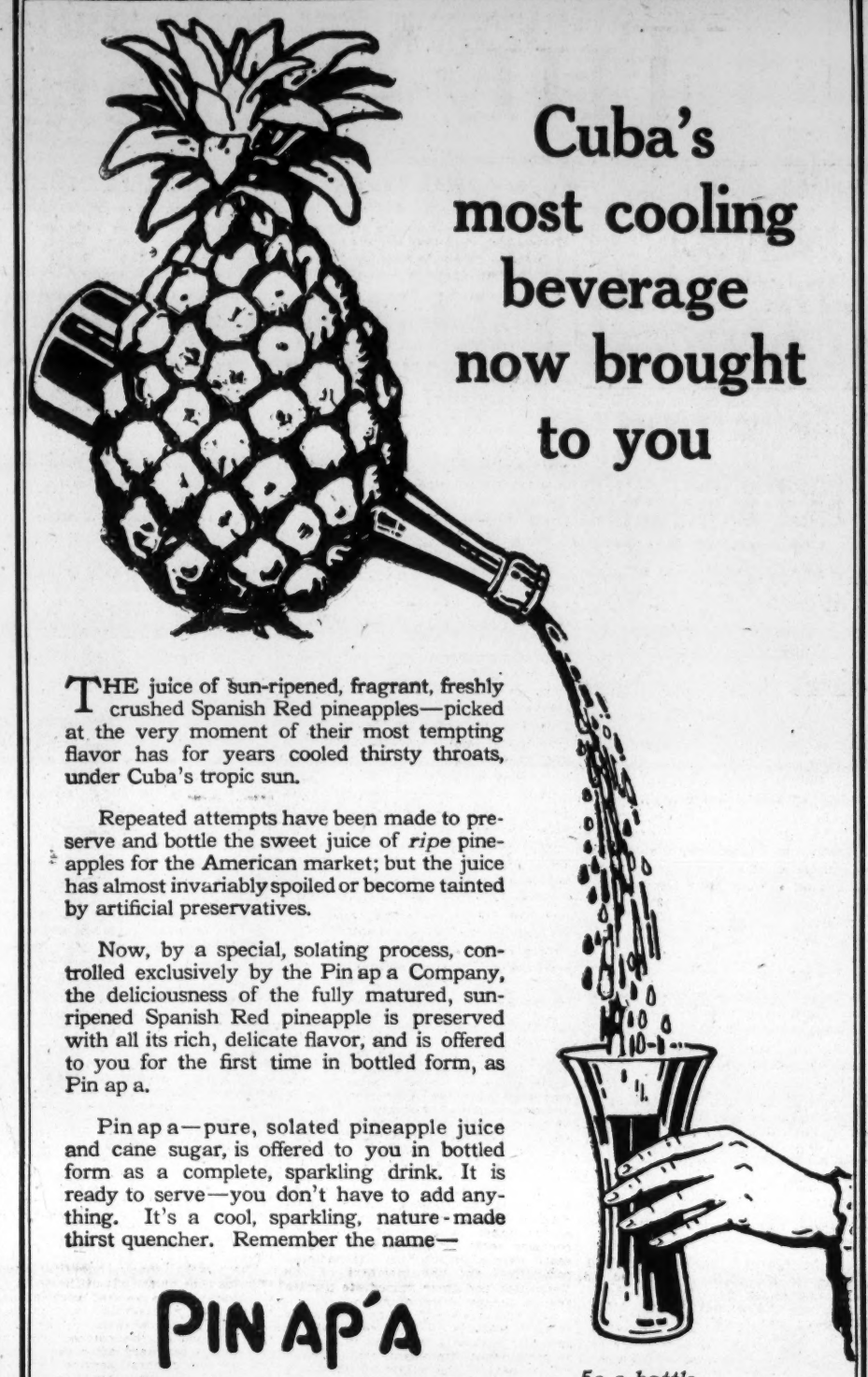

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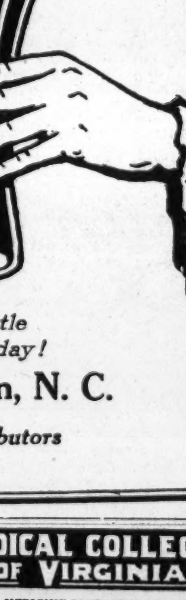

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Braves Win From the Cubs, 3 to 2, in a Close Contest.

Sensational Fielding by Stock, Whitted, Niehof and Paskert Gives Game to Phillies—Brooklyn-Pittsburg, Rained Out.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Philadelphia 2, St. Louis 0.
At Boston 3, Chicago 2.
At New York 7, Cincinnati 4.
At Brooklyn-Pittsburgh, rain.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Open date.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	22	15	.595
New York	22	16	579
Philadelphia	22	18	.550
Cincinnati	19	20	.467
Boston	19	20	.487
Chicago	20	24	.455
Pittsburg	19	22	.463
St. Louis	19	25	.432

New York, June 3.—New York took the second game of the series from Cincinnati today, 7 to 4. It was the second game won by the Giants on their home grounds this season. The locals scored three runs in the fourth inning on two scratch hits and three wild throws. Groh made a home run, a double and two singles. Anderson pitched his sixth straight victory for New York.

Cincinnati .. ....100 030 000—4 11 5
New York .. ....100 300 20*—7 9 1
Chulz, Knetver and Wingo; Anderson and Rariden.

Boston, June 3.—The Boston Nationals defeated Chicago 3 to 2 in a close game today. In the ninth inning, the visitors filled the bases on three hits, but scored only one run, Zimmerman crossing the plate when Mulligan hit into a double play.

Chicago . . ..000 000 101—2 9 0
Boston ... .201 000 00*—3 7 0
Vaughn, Prendergast, Brown and Archer; Allen and Gowdy.

Philadelphia, June 3.—Sensational fielding by Stock, Whitted, Niehoff and Paskert enabled Philadelphia to defeat St. Louis today 2 to 0 Alexander was hit hard but wonderful support saved him.

St. Louis . . . ...000 000 000—0 9 2
Philadelphia . . .010 010 00*—2 5 1
Meadows, Doak and Snyder; Alexander and Killifer.

ROCKY MOUNT LOSES BIG END OF SERIES TO PORTSMOUTH

Rocky Mount, N. C., June 3.—After five innings in which each club fought hard for an advantage, the Tar Heel flinger, Ingle, took and ascension and, though he was derricked, Leake could not stop the rally and in the sixth Portsmouth sent six to count and annexed the big end of the series. The final score was 9 to 2, in a game that ran the scale against the locals who were powerless to stem the swatfest. On the other hand, Alton was master of the situation and was scored on twice after two connecting singles and a double steal and after two more were out, Eisel signalled and two counted. In the sixth, however, with the score 2 to 1 in favor of the Tar Heels, the visitors fell to Ingle, who was yanked after the tieing run had counted and out out and with a rapid fire of missed ones by Umpire Hughes the pace-setters fell to Leake for four runs while the greatest demonstration against an umpire in many moons emitted from the stands.

Portsmouth. . . .000 015 300—9 15 1
Rocky Mount . . .000 200 000—2 3 1
Alton and Reynolds; Ingle, Leake and Talbot. Umpire Hughes Time 1:50.

TWO GOOD GAMES BASEBALL WERE PLAYED YESTERDAY

Two fast games were played yesterday afternoon before enthusiastic crowds of fans in the Interurban League. East Wilmington defeated the Red Sox at East Wilmington by a score of 5 to 3. Fast, snappy action on the part of the players of both teams was the feature of the game. At Winter Park, the Winter Park team defeated the Cubs by the score of 9 to 1.

The batteries for East Wilmington were O. Pearsall and Walsak and for the Red Sox, Laughridge and Cashwell. Umpire VanLandingham officiated at the game.

The batteries fo rthe Cubs were Page and Todd, and for Winter Park, Hart and Staniand. The game was called in the seventh inning by agreement. Umpire Ashley officiated.

The standing of the teams in this league are as follows:

	W	L	Pct.
Cubs	7	1	.875
E. Wilmington	7	1	.875
Red Sox	2	1	.250
W. Park	0	8	.000

MINOR LEAGUES.

CAROLINA LEAGUE
At Durham 6, Asheville 4.
All other games rained out.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE
At Norfolk 5-5; Petersburg 6-4.
At Hopewell 3, Newport News 4.
At Rocky Mount 2, Portsmouth 9.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
At Memphis 1, Atlanta 6.
At Nashville 8, New Orleans 3.
At Little Rock 5, Birmingham 2.
At Chattanooga 14, Mobile 4.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE
At Montgomery 6, Augusta 11.
At Charleston 0, Columbia 3.
At Macon 12, Columbus 2.
At Albany 4, Jacksonville 3.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
At Toledo 3, Louisville 4.
At Milwaukee 4, Minneapolis 5.
At Indianapolis 3, Columbus 4.
At Kansas City 2, St. Louis 6.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
At Newark - Richmond 7.
At Providence 4, Baltimore 1.
At Rochester 2-1, Montreal 1-10.
At Buffalo-Toronto, rain.

INDIANS DEFEAT RED SOX; IN FIRST PLACE

Bush's Single, Scoring Two Runs, Wins for the Tigers.

George Mogridge, Pitching for the Yankees, Shuts Out the White Sox 5 to 0—Browns Defeat Athletics, 3 to 2.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Detroit 3, Washington 2.
A Cleveland 11, Boston 2.
At Chicago 0, New York 5.
At St. Louis 3, Philadelphia 2.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Boston at Cleveland.
Washington at Detroit.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
New York at Chicago.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Cleveland	26	17	.605
Washington	24	17	.585
New York	23	16	.590
Boston	22	19	.537
Detroit	22	19	.475
Chicago	18	22	.450
St. Louis	17	25	.405
Philadelphia	15	25	.375

Chicago, June 3.—George Mogridge, pitching for the New York Americans, shut out the Chicagos here today, 5 to 0. Baker and Peckinpaugh were back in the game for New York. Magee made a home run in the sixth.

New York . . . ...000 011 021—5 8 2
Chicago . . . .000 000 000—0 6 0
Mogridge and Nunamaker; Scott, Williams, Benz and Schalk.

Cleveland, June 3.—Cleveland went into first place again today by defeating Boston 11 to 2, driving Leonard from the box and also hitting Pennock hard, gathering 14 hits for a total of 27 bases. Speaker made a sacrifice fly, a double and two triples, scored three runs and drove in four others. In the third inning Umpire Chill interfered with Turner reaching second. He ruled Turner was entitled to the base, then reversed himself and called Turner out and finally compromised by allowing the runner to remain on first base whereupon Manager Carrigan, of Boston, announced he played the game ununder protest.

Boston . . . . . .000 000 200—2 7 3
Cleveland . . . . .100 053 02*—11 14 0
Leonard, Pennock and Thomas, Agnew; Coveleskie and O'Neill.

Detroit, June 3.—Bush's single, with two out in the ninth, which scored Burns and Young, gave Detroit a 3 to 2 victory over Washington here today. The game was a pitcher's battle between DuBuc and Harper. Washington was held hitless until the sixth inning when Foster singled, scoring McBride. Judge Founted in the seventh on Henry's double.

Washington . . . ..000 001 100—2 5 1
Detroit . . . . . .100 000 002—3 5 1
Harper, Ayres and Henry; DuBuc and Stanage.

St. Lou' June 3.—St. Louis rallied in the ninth, beating out Philadelphia in the first game of the series here today, 3 to 2. In this inning two hits and an error filled the bases and while Borton, batting for Koob, went out on a high bounder to McInnis, Pratt and Marsans scored.

Philadelphia . . . .010 100 000—2 1 2
St. Louis . . . . .000 010 002—3 7 4
Sheehan and Meyer; Davenport, Koob and Hartley.

J. W. SCORR'S COLT WINS IN THE KENTUCKY HANDICAP.

Louisville, Ky., June 3.—In a terrific stretch drive, Ed Crump, a four-year-old Peep O'Day Evaline colt, owned by John W. Scorr, of Memphis, Tenn., overcame Andrew Miller's Roamer, American champion of 1913-14 and favorite in the betting, and by a half length won the fourth annual running of the Kentucky handicap at Douglas Park today.

Roamer, shipped here from New York for the race, found his impost of 132 pounds too much. W. J. Young's filly Water Witch, lasted well in the stretch and was third, a length back of Roamer, and an equal distance in front of W. J. Weber's Hodge. The time of the mile and a quarter was 2:04 3-5. Ed Crump, coupled with Dick Williams as the Scorer entry, was the third choice in the Pari Mutual wagering at odds of slightly better than 5 to 1.

Ed Crump's share of the purse, said to be the richest on the American turf this year for all aged contestants, was $11,650. Second money was worth $1,500; third, $600, while the fourth horse saved its stake.

CITY LEAGUE GAMES

Immanuels Win From Delgado and Other Game Forfeited to W. L. I.

In the baseball games staged yesterday in the city League, the Immanuels won from Delgado by the score of 6 to 2. Owing to a dispute over a decision of the umpire in the eighth inning, the game between the W. L. I. team and the Boys' Brigade was declared forfeited to the W. L. I. team by the score of 9 to 0.

The batteries for Immanuels were Jacobs and H. Gerdes, and for Delgado, Shaw and Kite. The score by innings was as follows:

Delgado . . . . . .002 000—2 4 2
Immanuels . . . .200 013—6 6 1

ORRUM AT HOME DEFEATS FAIR BLUFF IN FAST GAME

Orrum, N. C., June 3.—In the fastest game of the season, Orrum defeated Fair Bluff here yesterday afternoon by the score of 2 to 1. Graham, for the Orrum team, pitched his best ball of the season, striking out 13 men and allowing only one clean hit. Schulken, for the visitors, pitched very steady ball, but the locals pounded on his delivery very heavy, getting eight hits.

Fair Bluff . . . . . 000 001 000—1
Orrum . . . . . 200 000 000—2

COLLEGE BASEBALL.

At West Point: Syracuse 1; Army 0.
At Cambridge, Mass.: Harvard 5; Princeton 1.
At Philadelphia: Pennsylvania 3; Yale 0.

DEMOCRATS WILL MEET IN ST. LOUIS COLISEUM

First Political Convention to be Held in Huge Structure.

Fifteen Thousand Persons Crowded Into Building When Taft Spoke There in 1908—Story of Arrangements Made.

St. Louis, Mo., June 3. — The Democratic National convention which assembles here on June 14 will be the first political convention to be held in the St. Louis Coliseum. The first public meeting in this building was in the presidential campaign of 1908 when William H. Taft, Republican nominee, spoke there. At that time the Coliseum was not completed. Fifteen thousand persons crowded into the structure for that opening.

The Coliseum was built in 1907-1908 at a cost of $336,000. As arranged for the Democratic National Convention it will seat approximately 10,000 persons. This seating capacity is obtained as follows:

On the platform are 513 seats. In the section for daily newspaper correspondents and press associations are 472 seats.

Sections set apart for the editors of Democratic weekly papers in Missouri and Illinois will accommodate 238 more persons.

Seats will be provided for 1,078 delegates and the same number of alternates, though there may be some slight change in these figures in case some states send extra delegates with a fractional vote.

In the boxes are seating accommodations for 546, in the arena balcony 2,494 and in the balcony 3,400.

This makes a total of 9,818. Extra seats placed wherever possible through out the building bring the total seating capacity to about 10,000.

The building is so designed that there is room on the arena floor only for the delegates, alternates and the daily and weekly newspaper men.

The Coliseum is an octagon, considerably narrowed at one end by a diagonal side wall. The greatest length of the building is from north to south, and its narrowest dimension from east to west has been railed off for the platform and press sections. The platform is forty feet wide, and immediately back of the speakers' stand and the tables for tellers and clerks a platform extending rises to the rear of the upper balcony. This extension contains seats for 512 persons. These seats were distributed by the national committee, and the members of the committee and their immediate parties are to occupy most of them.

Around the arena floor on three sides are the boxes, which are reserved for specially invited guests—party leaders of prominence, diplomats, etc.

That part of the public which is not fortunate enough to have platform or box seats is to be accommodated in the arena balcony, which rises immediately from the boxes, and in the balcony, which corresponds to the second gallery in most public halls.

The total number of seats available for the public therefore is 5,894, and the distribution of part of these is alloted to the St. Louis committee which raised the $100,000 convention fund.

On the west side of the Coliseum, back of the speakers' platform are the work rooms for the press associations and the telegraph companies. As this space, as originally planned, proved too narrow to accomodate the press associations, an eight foot passageway through this section was abandoned, and by order of the Mayor an alley in the rear of the Coliseum was vacated, and covered with an awning. This serves as a passageway. A passageway under the platform leads from the press sections on the arena floor to the work and telegraph rooms in the rear.

On the north side of the building—the Washington avenue side—is a large emergency hospital; on the south side are the rooms of the Democratic National Committee, and on the east—or Jefferson avenue side is the room of the sergeant at arms, and the convention postoffice.

The decorations of the Coliseum were designed by Edward C. Dillman of St. Louis. In order to obtain as much daylight as possible, the walls of the Coliseum have been painted white. To get the full benefit of this reflection it was necessary to exclude decorations from the walls. The decorations, accordingly have been placed around the front of the balcony and boxes and on the supporting columns that run around the building.

Plaster relief medallions of Washington, Jefferson, Jackson, Cleveland and Wilson, each 4 by 3 feet, are placed on the supporting columns clear around the building, and each medallion is surrounded by American uags. The columns are covered with bunting, and the boxes are hung with the national colors. To improve the light reflection, six thousand yards of white muslin cover the ceiling, except for a strip down the center which is hung in the national colors. Altogether 30,000 yards of bunting were used in the decoration of the convention hall and 600 to 700 American flags. The platform, of course, is draped with bunting and flags.

The Western Union Teegraph Company has a cable of 100 wires into the Coliseum, and the Postal Telegraph Company has more than fifty. These wires do not include the leased wires of the press associations, but are for private and newspaper telegrams.

Two hundred to three hundred policemen will be assigned to the Coliseum during convention session to preserve order and block activities by pickpockets.

The St. Louis Coliseum is on Jefferson Avenue, between Washington Avenue and Locust Street. It is two miles west of the retail business district and from the Planters Hotel, where many of the party leaders will be quartered during the convention; it is a mile west of the Jefferson Hotel, where the Democratic National Committee is housed, and is about three quarters of a mile north and west of Union station. The Coliseum is about five minutes car ride from the Jefferson Hotel and ten minutes from the center of the business district.

Concerts at Lumina Today.

Don Richardson's orchestra, 3:30 to 8:30. (Advertisement).

PLANS COMPLETE FOR ANNEX

Grace Methodist Church Will Have Modern Sunday School Addition to Cost About $15,000 or More.

Plans for the modern Sunday school annex of Grace Methodist church have been completed by Mr. B. H. Stephens, the architect, and the contract for its erection will be awarded within a few days. The addition will cost $15,000 or more and will be two stories in height. The present Sunday school auditorium will be doubled in capacity and there will be 15 class rooms. Work on the structure is to be pushed as it is planned to have it ready for use by early fall.

The addition will be in keeping with the present church building. There will be an entrance on Grace street and also on Fourth street. It will be so arranged that the three departments—primary, junior and intermediate—will be kept separate.

Twenty men of the church have agreed to furnish $7,500 for the erection of the structure and the remainder will be contributed by the other members of the congregation.

The present membership of the Sunday school of Grace church is 650 and it is constantly growing, making larger quarters absolutely necessary. There has been quite a growth in the Sunday school during the present year. The church is also growing, there having been 126 accessions since the first of the year. The members of both the church and the Sunday school are manifesting much interest in carrying on the work of the church.

Some time ago it was realized that larger quarters for the Sunday school were necessary and committees were appointed to look into the proposition. A building committee was appointed composed of Messrs. R. C. Merrit, J. E. Willoughby, T. A. Green, W. E. Perdew and J. T. King and a finance committee composed of Messrs. J. F. Post, W. B. Cooper, Roger Moore, W. E. Springer and D. C. Love.

FUNERAL OF MR. DONLAN

Held at Church Yesterday Morning—Interment at Oakdale.

Funeral services for Mr. Timothy Donlan, who died at his residence on North Third street, were held yesterday morning at St. Mary's Pro-Cattedral at 10 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. Father Mazion, of St. Lawrence's Catholic church, of Asheville; and Rev. Father Bour, of this city.

As a mark of respect to the deceased the members of the Cape Fear Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, attended the services at the church in a body.

Interment was made in Oakdale cemetery and th efollowing acted as pallbearers: Messrs. M. J. Corbett, M. W. Divine, W. H. Sprunt, M. W. Jacobi, J. D. Smith, Mayor P. Q. Moore; active, Messrs. W. J. Bergen, John Sweeney, W. J. Flanagan, D. Quinlivan, Dr. T. B. Carroll, Martin O'Brien, Martin Rathjen and J. J. Allen.

There were many beautiful floral tributes sent by friends of the deceased, the grave being covered with flowers. Particularly impressive was the placing of a small wreath on the grave by each one of the colored employes of Oakdale cemetery after the completion of the funeral services and the placing of the other beautiful flowers. These colored men have been employed for years at the cemetery and were very devoted to Mr. Donlan.

The president and board of directors of Oakdale cemetery and Mr. Richard J. Jones, the venerable treasurer of the cemetery company, attended the funral of Mr. Donlan in a body. Mr. Donlan was for 54 years the popular and efficient superintendent of Oakdale cemetery.

DELGADO PRESBYTERIANS TO ORGANIZE CHURCH TODAY

Commission Appointed by Presbytery Will Effect Organization.

With a membership of 176, the Delgado Presbyterian church will be organized formally this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The new church takes the place of the mission which was conducted there for a number of years under the auspices of the First church of the city.

At the last meeting of the Wilmington Presbytery at Winter Park a petition was sent in by members of the Delgado congregation, requesting that they be set apart as an independent Presbyterian church and this was granted.

The Presbytery appointed the following commission to organize the church: Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, Rev. A. J. Howell, and Ruling Elders J. A. Springer, James Sprunt and C. H. Robinson.

NEGRO THIEF IS NABBED.

After Exciting Chase by Captain Blake of "Isabel."

Capt. A. T. Blake, of the gasoline launch Isabel, and Mr. R. R. Stone captured Sam Hughes, colored, about 8 o'clock yesterday morning after an exciting chase down Water street as he was in the act of making off with a suit of clothes belonging to Captain Blake. He was turned over to Detective D. W. Coleman and locked up at the police station on the charge of larceny.

The negro had been hanging around the wharf where the boat was moored near the foot of Market street for some time. In the absence of Captain Blake he had gone on board, it is stated, and grabbed the suit of clothes which was in the pilot house. As soon as he saw Captain Blake and Mr. Stone, he dropped the clothes and ran, but was captured after a short chase.

OPENING DANCE AT LUMINA WAS LARGELY ATTENDED

Between 600 and 800 Persons Were Present at Ball Last Night.

Between 600 and 800 persons attended the opening dance at Lumina last night. An attractive programme of dance music was furnished by Don Richardson's orchestra, which included many of the latest two-steps and waltzes.

The dancing season opened most auspiciously and thes edances will be held every night throughout the season from now on with the exception of Sunday nights. The splendid programme offered last night indicates that many enjoyable evenings are ahead of the people, young and old, who are fond of this popular diversion.

Collides With Bicycle.

Mr. C. C. Jones, of Middle Sound, was slightly hurt about the leg shortly after noon yesterday at Second and Market streets, when the bicycle he was riding collided with an automobile driven by C. C. Cashwell, Esq. The bicycle was badly smashed as a result of the accident.

PLAN FOR GOLDSBORO TRIP

Wilmington Odd Fellows Expect to Send Large Delegation to Commencement at Orphanage.

Wilmington Odd Fellows are planning to have a large delegation to go to Goldsboro on June 8th to attend the commencement exercises of the Odd Fellows' Orphanage. The orphans will entertain all visitors. Those going to Goldsboro can leave Wilmington early in the morning and returning arrive in Wilmington about midnight.

Dr. J. Y. Joyner, superintendent of public instruction for the State of North Carolina, will make the commencement address on Thursday evening at the graduating exercises. Those going from Wilmington will be able to attend these exercises before leaving for Wilmington.

Mr. L. W. Moore is chairman and Mr. S. A. Mathews is secretary of the joint committee in Wilmington appointed to plan for the trip. The other members of the committee are Messrs. D. J. Fergus, L. L. Boon, T. G. Landen, S. F. Garrison, Dawson Barnes, R. P. Johnson, C. F. Williams.

Tickets can be purchased from any member of the committee any day this week or from Mr. L. W. Moore at his office, No. 123 Princess street. The Atlantic Coast Line has made the following low round trip rates from the following points: Wilmington, $1.50; Burgaw, $1.25; Wallace, $1; Warsaw, 75 cents; Clinton, $1.

"DAN" AND "BOB" ARE ONLY DOGS, BUT VISIT BEACH DAILY

Unaccompanied They Take Trolley Rides and Dips in Surf.

Wilmington is no place for a dog on a hot summer afternoon! At least that is the opinion of "Bob" and "Dan," two thoroughbred English pointers who may be seen riding on the front end of a Beach car almost any afternoon unaccompanied by anyone. They acknowledge of Mr. Jack Newman to be their master if he happens to be around, but at all other times they are as independent as two boys of the same age. They are known to all the conductors on the line and so are never bothered about such frivial matters as not having a ticket.

Once at the Beach, they take a swim in the surf if they feel so inclined, or else spend a good part or the afternoon strolling up and down the beach playing with sand crabs. Just how they contracted the habit of visiting the beach is easily explained. Once or twice, Mr. Newman who is an ardent follower of Isaak Walton, took them down with him on his fishing expedjtions. They enjoyed the trolley ride and bathing so much that now, if he should neglect to inform them of his departure. They jump on a car and ride down to the Seashore hotel ,where they invariably get off. Later they visit Masonboro Inlet to see what success their master is having. If he is not there, they will go to the pier and other places they know he is in the habit of frequenting. If Mr. Newman is busy and shouldn't go down to the beach, they go down anyway and take their daily dip in the surf.

SALVATION ARMY SERVICES.

Sunday School This Morning and Open Air Service Tonight.

The following meetings will be held by the local corps of the Salvation Army today:

11 A. M.—Sunday school service in the hall at Front and Dock streets to which both young and old are invited.

7:30 P. M.—Open air service on the corner of Front and Princess streets.

8 P. M.—An old time revival service will be held in the hall at which there will be a number of songs and solos together with some short Gospel exhortations by Adjutant and Mrs. Yates and others. This meeting will last for about one hour and will be both interesting and helpful. The public is most cordially invited to attend.

SAVES YOUTH FROM DROWNING IN BANKS CHANNEL AT BEACH.

George Price, 13 Years Old, Averts Tragedy by Prompt Action.

But for the timely assistance rendered by George Price, 13 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Price, of Sunset Park, Andrew Tucker, 11 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Tucker, of this city, might have been drowned yesterday morning when he dived from a boat into water over his head in Bank's Channel near Lumina, without knowing how to swim. The water looked shallow to the youngster, but it proved otherwise.

When young Price saw his companion in danger of being drowned he jumped in after him and tried to swim with him back to the boat, but the latter clasped him so tightly that he could not. They went down together several times, and as they came up the would-be rescued yelled for help and attracted the attention of a gentleman who was waiting nearby for a car, who rescued them both.

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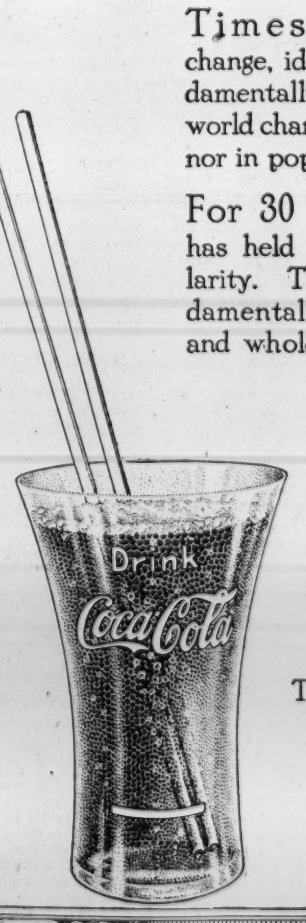

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TOP O' THE MORNING.

My God, help me to look up to the hills today. Save me from all downward looking which would lead me into pitiable living. Give me the lofty look that I may have the elevated life.

—SELECTED.

Get your tickets for a bridal tour.

Columbia State: "Ave Atque Vale." Go there yourself.

One of the candidates for the Republican nomination for President has been talking himself to death. The others prefer to say nothing rather than be called a lot of small potatoes and few in a hill.

It is said the trip from New York to Europe can now be made in six hours. We decided in six seconds that we don't care to go to Europe till we can send over a ship load of rations in advance.

A doctor up north failed to show up and get married in accordance with all the arrangements. Some of his brother doctors went to see him and reported that he was suffering with amnesia. That's probably a doc's name for weak knees or cold feet.

Some of the Republican aspirants for President will think they are candidates till along about next Saturday, when their vote will show that they have wasted their aspirations. The expectation is that the balloting will begin in the convention next Friday.

The Durham Herald remarks: "While some of them fell for it, Colonel Grimes had too much sense." The painful part of it is that even some of the lawyers do not seem to know the real purpose and service of a primary election law. It is a fact that some of them are so unthoughted as to conceive the idea that the candidates can enter into an agreement that would supersede the law. They haven't gotten over the effete convention plan of making nominations.

If we would go out and fight as we go on and talk, we could crack our heels together and mop up the whole world before it could get its mouth open and yell for help. Some don't even think preparedness is at all necessary, as we don't propose to be rough enough to go after them with an army and a navy. All we would have to do if a horde of contemptible aliens were to come after us would be to twist their ears off with one hand. We could do it, too, if they would let us.

How about that New York golf corporation which is utilizing golf links for building a town? The corporation has constructed and beautified the greatest golf links in the world and surrounded it with bungalows and hotels for the entertainment of golf players from one end of the country to the other. The town's sole attraction is golf links and thousands of dollars are spent in advertising them in the metropolitan papers. It has gotten so that golf links constitute one of a city's chief attractions.

To the pilgrims who have gathered around him at Oyster Bay Colonel Roosevelt exclaimed, "No man was ever loyal to a coward!" At the same time he has never had the courage to again declare himself a Republican, nor has he openly declared that he is a candidate for President. He wanted everybody to believe that he would not "scramble for delegates" and he has beat around the bush and is now beating the bush to beat the band. He wants the Republicans to nominate him at Chicago, but he has never toed the mark and announced his reconsecration to the party. Every man ought to have courage enough to tell where he stands, especially when he is demanding that of others. The Colonel tells us how he stands as to mollycoddles and preparedness, but he has never let the Republicans know how he stands with regard to the party that he attempted to destroy in 1912.

THE PEOPLE WON

As a result of the first State-wide nominating primary in North Carolina yesterday, the people won. If they succeeded in nominating their choice for the various offices, they won, but in cases where no nomination was made they won another people's chance to decide it at a second primary. The real thing is that the people are now selecting their officials as well as electing them, so what do they care if they have to go to considerable trouble to exercise their full right as sovereigns?

Heretofore the convention politicians did not worry themselves over the trouble they were put to in order to capture the delegates to the conventions and do all the nominating themselves. They didn't mind trouble and expense, for the result of the conventions was satisfactory to one faction or the other. All the people had to do was to vote at the elections to ratify the nominations made by the politicians.

We rather think the rank and file of all parties prefer to be on their own job of nominating and electing the men to whom they trust the offices in the gift of the people. They used to be in the gift of the conventions, but when the people get accustomed to the primary and realize that the sovereigns really are ruling instead of imagining that they are they will like the primary. The present law may not be exactly what they want, but they can have the Legislature to amend it in any particular that will make popular nominations effective.

However, Col Tom Bost, the live newspaper correspondent at Raleigh, has discovered the fact that but few of the candidates like it, although it has not been tried out yet. They had better wait till the election is over and the faults, defects and virtues of the primary are disclosed by the first legalized primary held yesterday in this State. On the eve of the primary Colonel Bost sent this from Raleigh to the Greensboro News:

"Officialdom, state and federal, with much more concern in the primary as an instrument for nominating candidates than in the candidates themselves, awaits the Saturday election with all the eagerness that novelty can inspire. Despite the many contests and the sharpness of the fight as it closes, little interest has been found anywhere in the personal side of it. The absence of anything that smacks of a Simmons organization fight against anything that is or wishes to be takes the little ginger left entirely away and leaves the primary alone for the contemplation of the wise and the otherwise. The primary is in disrepute. There is no way to avoid that conclusion if one is allowed to get on the inside of candidate or man of public views. The Republicans, who said most about a primary and did nothing in the 1915 general assembly save the fight on all proposals looking to the satisfaction of their platform and pre-election demands, stand to become beneficiary of this well-nigh universal dissatisfaction. The Democrats may be able to cover them with confusion, if they can get those who heard Republican caucuses pledging their minority to progressive attempts at legislation, to testify to Democratic advantages."

We rather expected the politicians to be puzzled, and they will keep on making out like they are puzzled. They have lost their nominating job. Neither can any so-called "machine" be expected to handle a primary, because this is the day of the people and it is their business to take charge of their affairs and not put the burden on the "politicians" or the "machine," if there is such a thing.

We note frequent allusions to the "Simmons organization," the "Simmons machine," etc., but we have often wondered if there is such a thing. We have looked all around for it but have never seen anything of it. We know that Senator Simmons has his friends and personal followers all over the State, but that does not constitute a "machine." Anyhow, it is such a one as generally attends to its own business, as there is little evidence of its interference in the affairs of the people. It seems to keep its eye on the Republicans and generally lets the people do the rest. We are satisfied, however, that there ought to have been more machine work in New Hanover for the purpose of getting the party in line. The important question of registration should have been carefully looked after. As it was some 1,500 Democrats failed to register and qualify themselves to vote for president and governor, so we infer that if there is a machine in New Hanover it should be rapped over the knuckles for not securing a larger registration of the voters. They may be needed to help save the State.

It is not a good idea for voters at any time to fail to register and vote, whether they be Democrats, or Republicans or Progressives. The State has to depend on its citizens for good government all the time and for protection during war, so a citizen does not take himself seriously as a sovereign when he neglects to help nominate and elect the men who are to fill public offices involving the State's interests and destiny. If the people did not have these rights, they would raise a great clamor about being "disfranchised." However, when they deliberately disfranchise themselves they must not regard their rights as a matter of very much importance.

Today the Mexicans are fighting a long and bloody war for the blessed priveleges which some men in this country absolutely neglect. That ought not to be so. Our duty as citizens is an exceedingly serious one.

HYSTERIA AS SHE IS SEEN.

The New Bern Sun-Journal undertakes to remind the Hon. Claude Kitchin that he is mistaken in saying that those who are for preparedness are suffering from hysteria. Some are, but they haven't got it half as bad as some anti-preparedness folks are suffering from pasifist hallucinations. Our esteemed New Bern contemporary says:

"Majority Leader Kitchin on Monday declared that the present clamor for preparedness is due to hysteria. Mr. Kitchin is talking through his hat, so to speak. There is no hysteria but if another nation were to attack us in our present unprotected condition, there is no doubt of the fact that there would be hysteria and plenty of it."

We want them to understand that we are not afraid of invasion by any foreign nation, but we are afraid of ourselves in the event of foreign invasion. We are afraid that without preparedness we would cut a sorry figure in heading off one. One of the easiest things a man can do is to get a licking when he is not prepared to prevent it. If the distinguished representative of the Second district knows anything about Halifax county philosophy, he knows that the bravest man who is not well heeled would have to give the dodge to one who is. All he would have to do would be to run away and live to fight another day.

If Mr. Kitchin were a critical reader of our war history from the days of the Revolution down to the chase of Villa, he would realize that we "covered ourselves with glory" under the most pitiful of circumstances. If he will read "Civil War Reminescences by a Maryland Confederate," who was a private in the rear ranks, he will realize that a four years' war broke out among us under the most ridiculous circumstances. As a battle, that at Bull Run could be called an absurdity if it were not so serious. In history it appears only as a battle. In reminiscence it appears like a riot. The untrained men engaged moved about like a lot of rabbit hunters. They had so many different sorts of guns that they would constitute a joke museum, and the picture of the hospital and commissary departments will show that they were left at home.

Unpreparedness! Well, if it were not serious it would be ridiculous. Neither side was in much better fix than the other, and so long as the men were not acquainted with each other, neither side could "tell t'other from which" except from the direction they took when the running commenced. As a matter of fact, long after the war was on, British military observers, who wrote back to their war department, reported that the war up to that time consisted of fierce fighting between armed mobs. A little inside history of the Civil war and all our forays would enable some of our pacifists to realize what unpreparedness means in useless sacrifice of life, unless fighting and nonsensical movements that were resultless from a military standpoint.

We made a little better showing when we decided to go after Spain in 1898, but it's to laugh when we remember some of the things we witnessed and hear about others that make up inside history. Our great Rough Rider has told us himself how "I and the Rough Riders dashed up Kettle Hill" some distance from San Juan Hill, which he could see from the Kettle.

However, what's the use? We ought to be for preparedness not because we are afraid or have hysteria, but because it is safer and less absurd than not to be prepared for possibilities and eventualities. We ought always to have some regard for the possibilities, but we do not seem to have learned much from all the experiences that this country has had in all of its war troubles.

TOWNS WHICH GROW WEEDS

The Rocky Mount Telegram and the New Bern Sun-Journal are urging the wisdom of harvesting the weed crop in their respective cities. Growing towns with growing weeds ought certainly to cut out the weeds, else how can we watch this or that city grow while having our attention detracted by the impulse to stop and engage in a study of botany? The Sun-Journal makes these important remarks with reference to the better plan of having a weedless city:

"Brother Horne, of the Rocky Mount Telegram, is eternally telling his readers to chop the weeds and clean out the ditches. The same suggestion is applicable here. No city can expect to have its health conditions perfect when weeds are allowed to grow at random and when ditches remain unclean."

Of course, both of the thrifty cities of Rocky Mount and New Bern are outgrowing the weeds, but if the weeds are trying to enter the race they should be put out of commission. Far be it that we would even hint that Wilmington has weeds, but if she has they ought to be cut down before some visitor sees them first.

We have had considerable experience in getting rid of weeds and grass, and we make no charge for telling how to do it. Weeds and grass should be cut down before they go to seed and interne in the city for another year on a larger scale than formerly. Weeds and grasses haven't anything to do but procreate and grow, but a year or two's attention will prevent a weed pest in a city that doesn't propose to take chances on ten times more weeds than it needs.

Our main idea about weeds is not to give them any publicity, for it is about like calling attention to stray cows in cities where they constitute a portion of the population. The Chamber of Commerce and the Rotary Club can look after all these things and they much prefer to telephone the city weed choppers and cowboys to get on the job. This only refers, of course, to cities having one-cow dairies and weed farms in their midst.

Some of the newspapers deplore the fact that Marion Butler is being called all sorts of names, but if Butler really is the sandman what's the use of ignoring what the sandman has done at different times? Men who make a record had better not make it unless they expect to have publicity given to it.

THE COST OF JUNE WEDDINGS

Some newspaper man has scooped all the papers by figuring on the cost of June weddings. He says the average wedding will cost $250, clothes and all, while some particularly swell weddings will cost from $10,000 to $25,000, including finery and presents. Cleveland, Ohio, is taken as a June wedding basis and already 1,000 wedding licenses have been issued there, showing that the city will have $250,000 worth of June weddings during this month. This does not include the cost of bridal tours, but the cost covers about what is necessary in the way of preparedness for closing up a matrimonial deal at the altar.

That is just for one city, so if there are 10,000 weddings in a state, the cost would be estimated at $2,500,000, and some statistician has made bold to assert that June wedding in America will cost not less than $100,000,000. We can't see what he has to do with it, if the cost were really a billion. June brides are worth every cent of it, so what is the use of standing around and counting the cost of the beginning of happiness? Expenses only commence at the beginning and people would go crazy if they expected to try to keep up with what it costs to make out like you are living.

THE PACKING HOUSE

To the Editor of The Star:

It is with pleasure that I see the business men of Wilmington are beginning to realize the necessity of taking care of the farm products in a way that will benefit the farmers contiguous to Wilmington, which is absolutely essential to the city's interest if she is to go forward as other progressive cities.

I saw the great need of a packing house when I was in commercial business there 16 years ago and succeeded in getting a Mr. Dickey from Kansas City, who was in the business and one of his friends, interested enough to come and spend two weeks in the city investigating, but we could not get a sufficient number who saw it as we did to make the investment. Had it been established then this would have been one of the greatest stock raising sections of the South, for there is no better land for grasses and grain than in Eastern and Central North Carolina.

There is no better opportunity for the business men of Wilmington, which means a help to all classes of the city as well as the rural districts, than to establish a packing house on a broad basis, that is with a view to helping the farmer that he in return will be able to help build the city. A packing house will of course handle the by-products of the farm such as renovating butter, cheese, poultry, eggs, pork, beef, etc., then the farmer can direct his grass and grain into such as long as it is profitable. I see ten years hence this will be a new country and we will wonder why have we been so backward in grasping the great opportunities that our Creator has given us.

With the National highway from Wilmington to Fayetteville up the old stage coach road by Long Creek, then from Wilmington by Whiteville on the south, with sand clay roads connecting, these two highways will mean as much or more to Wilmington than two extra rail roads. Wilmington must have its bridge at Market street or an up to date ferry. Have at the head of your city men who will regard the public interest the same as he would his individual interest in order to succeed and there will be money to make the extra improvements, without its becoming a burden, as a rich back county means a prosperous city.

While New Hanover can boast of her good roads, she is at a point where she has got to extend her borders and connect with the outside world in order to get the outside connected with her. I hope every man in the rural districts in the adjacent counties who can attend the Good Road Convention at Wrightsville Beach will do so that he may become a good road advocate. If he is not immediately on the highway he will soon see the necessity of connecting his neighborhood with it. By so doing a few acres of his land will be worth more than all of it where he is cut off from quick and cheap transportation.

Respectfully,

B. F. KEITH.

Currie, N. C., June 2.

STOCK LAW IN PENDER

To the Editor of The Star:

In yesterday's Star there was an article from Burgaw with reference to an indictment against Hon. J. B. Scott, of this county, for refusing to permit a quarantine officer to examine his cattle. I have noticed other articles in your paper referring to Mr. Scott and the "Free Rangers" of Pender county which I am afraid would tend to leave a false impression among your readers who know nothing of the cause of all this trouble, though possibly not intended by your correspondent. For the reasons expressed, in order to put the people of my county in their true light, I wish to make the following statement:

In the last days of the extra session of the General Assembly, 1913, the representatives of Pender county passed the stock law for Pender county. The great majority of the people had no idea that such was intended and demanded a vote on the matter in 1915, which was granted. Owing to local conditions the great majority of the people voted against stock law when the matter was submitted in November, 1915, the vote being 364 for and 838 against. But those in favor of the stock law have used every means in their power to keep the people from having that for which they voted. After the General Assembly had passed the bill submitting the matter to the voters of the county they got Federal quarantine officers to come to the county and when the commissioners refused to co-operate with them they raised funds among themselves, as they claim, and had the county put under the cattle quarantine. This was done for the purpose of harassing the people under the guise of eradicating the tick. As a proof of that these officers have been having warrants issued for "violating stock law" and in practically all cases they are issued by some justice in Caswell township, an extreme western township and the only township in the county that voted for stock law except one that has been under the said law for years. It matters not where the parties live they are indicted in the said township, and in some cases made to go forty miles to attend trial. In a great many cases the charges are frivolous but they are usually convicted by the self appointed "judges" of the county. Such rank injustice has caused many of the best people of the county to refuse to lend their approval to such. Among those is Hon. J. B. Scott, who has always stood for the right and will continue to do so regardless of the darts that hav ebeen hurled at him by those who have no sense of right and justice.

J. H. BURNETT.

Burgaw, N. C., June 2nd.

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CURRENT COMMENT

Editor Gonzales, that king of paragraphers, who makes the Columbia, S. C.) State the most interesting newspaper in the Southern States, never got off anything better than this: "One reason the younger generation is getting so flip and impertinent is because the old-fashioned boy who used to be taken out to the woodshed every once in a while to have his pants dusted with a trunk strap now has a son who inhales a pack of cigarettes a day, calls his dad 'the guv'nor' or 'the old man,' and fills said old man's car with a bunch of giggly chickens every afternoon and burns up the country roads to the tune of fifty parasangs an hour."—Winston-Salem Journal.

If there is anything in the signs of the times, Woodrow Wilson will surely be re-elected President. Progressives, Republicans and Independents are flocking to his standard and lining up beside the Democrats. These Independent supporters of Mr. Wilson comprise all classes of men—influential leaders and plain citizens who do their own thinking and are guided in their actions solely by what they believe to be for the best interest of all the people. The most significant movement we have noted recently was that of "twenty-six of the nation's foremost men, including capitalists, philanthropists, publicists and leaders in independent thought," who have announced that they will launch an independent movement for the re-election of President Wilson—Fayetteville Observer.

We learned late last March that the relief expedition from New Zealand for Sir Ernest Shackleton's trans-South Polar exploring expedition had gone to pieces. It was to be feared that Shackleton and his party might perish in consequence if they had succeeded in crossing the Polar region. But those fears are happily unfounded. We now hear from Shackleton himself. He is at Port Stanley, Falkland Island, with some of his men. They passed by there near two years ago on the way to the South Pole. Their ship was caught and crushed in the ice in the midst of the Weddell Sea and drifted 700 miles. They were there when the relief ship Aurora was sprained and forced to turn back on the opposite side of the polar area. They finally landed on Elephant Island, where 22 men of the party now are. The others made for South Georgia, the expedition's base, in a small boat. This is a unique experience in Polar exploration. The expedition was virtually double-headed—Shackleton's own party moving from this side of the earth across the South Pole, and the relief expedition moving toward him from the opposite side of the earth. Both expeditions came to grief in about the same way and at about the same time. Part of the crew of the Aurora was left behind and their fate is yet to be learned. Part of the Endurance's crew was left behind and is yet to be rescued. It was a bold adventure, but none the less promising on that account. Its failure is to be regretted, but hardly as if attended by the tragedy at one time indicated.—New York World, June 1.

Talks On Thrift

THRIFT CAMPAIGN SERIES.

NO. 12—THE THRIFT HABIT.

The trouble with a great many people is they expect to acquire good habits in old age, while they spend most of their youth in cultivating bad ones. It is so easy to postpone doing the things that are hard until tomorrow, and so easy to drift along today. Not only is Hell paved with good intentions, but the pathway of the average man is strewn with the wrecks of good intentions. The whole scheme of right living contemplates that man should not put off until tomorrow the things he should do today.

One of the habits we hope to acquire some time is the habit of thrift. This habit often comes late in life—not always from choice but often from necessity. Having satisfied habits that are destructive, when the passions are burned out of a decaying mind and body, men find themselves more or less free from temptations, and mistake a flickering flame for a ripening virtue. Any habit which is forced as likely to find itself in an unhealthy environment, and becomes meaningless in its practice.

Before you can practice a virtue, you must desire the results which that virtue brings, and understand the process through which it comes. Many a man has gone to his doom because he hoped to stop drinking, or spending, or gambling, some day, but his hope never got to the point of action.

Frequently you will find standing alone, or in groups, on the wind-swept plain, trees with no branches on what the sailor would call the "windward side," and leaning sharply in the direction in which the wind blows. This has been no sudden process. For years the north wind has blown gently or fiercely against the tree, so that little by little it became distorted in shape, until it has become its habit to grow lopsided.

No bad habit is acquired in an instant—it is a subtle process, little by little becomnig so fixed that the nature becomes distorted, like the tree, battling in vain against an adverse wind.

If this habit of thrift is to be a wholesome, sweet, and fruitful one, it must be acquired while the body is healthy, and the mind vigorous. It must not be a dying reformation. Its best work can be done when the earning power is greatest, the resisting power strongest, and the future, it may be, afar off.

No man ever becomes a spendthrift at a single leap. The wasteful habits which grows to grow become so fixed that, struggle as he may, and wish as hard as he might, he cannot change his nature. Old age may compel thriftiness because there is nothing more to waste, but the saddest commentary on human life is to find at the close nothing stored up of energy, money, or property, for which the best years of life have been given.

Thrift is a composite virtue. It includes the desirable attributes of economy, self denial and saving; but it is no relative to niggardliness or meanness. The man who would let his grandmother starve is not a thrifty man, but a brute. Any virtue carried to extremes becomes undesirable and no longer a virtue. The thrift that does not make a man charitable sours into avarice. Thrift means better homes, better citizens, more comforts, more enjoyment, little waste, little anxiety—peace. Out of it grows productive energy, steady courage, opportunity, independence, self respect, aimfulness in life, manhood. It is the one material habit that has no shady side. It is acquired little by little—a steady pressure (in the right direction) until it becomes second nature to save and thrift becomes a habit.

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COUNTY ELECTION RESULTS UNCERTAIN

Three Precincts To Hear From Early This Morning

Daughtridge, Godwin and Clark Leading in State Primary—Grant Ahead for Legislature—Returns for Other Offices.

Returns only in part had been obtained from five of the seven precincts in Wilmington this morning at 5 o'clock and from four of the five county precincts. But four of the city wards had counted the vote on the State primary early today and the indications were that it would be 8 or 9 o'clock this morning before the counting would be completed. No effort had been made to determine the result of the city election on the questions of making certain improvements.

With two precincts, the Second and Fourth, in the city and two in the county, the Cape Fear and the Seven-Mile Post to hear from this morning at 5 o'clock the returns for Governor showed that Daughtridge had 903 votes and Bickett 427. Clark from the same precincts had a big lead over his oppenents, having 1,092 votes while Grimes polled 301 votes. Lacy had a big lead over Mann, having polled four to his one for State Treasurer Manning was leading for Attorney General with 495 votes while Sinclair was a close second with 379 votes. Dellinger and Shipman evened things up with about 200 votes each in these wards while Lee had a lead over his opponent, Boyd for Corporation Commissioner. McKinnon was leading for Commissioner of Agriculture with about 500 votes while Major Graham was a close second.

With only the Third Ward in the city and the Seven-Mile Precinct in the county to hear from early this morning, L. Clayton Grant, Esq., was leading with 1,286 votes for the Legislature over his opponent, Former State Senator Marsden Bellamy, who had 1,004 votes. Sheriff S. P. Cowan was leading in the race for sheriff with 851 votes, while Mr. George C. Jackson was second with 665 votes. Mr. R. C. Fergus was third with 375 votes, while Messrs. Joseph H. Watters and J. N. Fennell were next. A second primary apparently will be necessary in this race.

Recorder Brooke G. Emple was leading for this office with 730 votes while Justice George Harriss was a close second with 643 votes and J. Felton Head, Esq., was third with 531 votes and Mr. John J. Furlong was next with 409 votes. A second primary will be necessary apparently for this nomination.

E. T. Burton, Esq., was leading for county solicitor with 738 votes, this being a bare margin over County Solicitor George Peschau, who had 712 votes. A second primary will be necessary in this race.

Messrs. W. E. Yopp, with 1,516 votes; W. A. McGirt, with 1,364 votes, and Addison Hewlett with 1,092 votes were leading in the race for commissioner, there being three men to nominate for this office. Mr. W. E. Worth was next highest.

Coroner A. S. Holden and Register of Deeds John Haar each received very complimentary votes at the polls.

Returns from six of the seven precincts in Wilmington and from four of the five precincts in the country last night gave the following totals, Godwin, 980; Little 718; Brown, 376; Nimocks 46; Young, 25. The Second Ward which had not been heard from, polled more than 600 votes and it was expected to give a heavy majority for Little. Godwin's big lead in New Hanover furnished quite a surprise to many as it was not believed that he would poll so heavy a vote.

Maj. Joseph W. Little stated early this morning that as the returns were still so meager that nothing definite could be ascertained and that he did not have any statement to make until more of the returns were in. He still expressed confidence that when Robeson and Columbus and other counties had been heard from that he would be in the second primary.

Only one of the city wards, the sixth, had counted the votes in the race for judge. This ward with that of four of the rural precincts, gave Judge W. P. Stacy 406 votes and Addison G. Ricaud 126. Returns from other counties in this judicial district were exceedingly meager. Southport gave Ricaud 22 and Judge Stacy 116, while Town Creek in Brunswick gave Stacy 54 and Ricaud 15. Bolton reporte 102 votes for Stacy and 10 for Ricaud. A private message from Atkinson stated that Judge Stacy had received every vote cast in that township.

None of the city wards had made any effort to count any of the votes in the election on the proposed improvements. There was a heavy vote cast in this election as practically every one who voted in the primary yesterday also voted in this election. It was the general belief early this morning that the proposition for authorizing the city to aid in the factory sites matter and also for voting a small tax to improve the fire and waterworks department had carried while doubt was expressed as to whether or not the proposition for voting a tax on Princess street had carried.

The vote in the Congressional race being more easily counted were counted in all but one of the city precincts and one from the country and gave Godwin a total of 980 votes while Little had a total of something over 700. Brown was third, while Nimocks came fourth and Young fifth, with only a scattering vote.

Heavy Vote Cast.

As was predicted by those in close touch with the political situation there was an unusually heavy vote cast in both Wilmington and New Hanover county. The strenuous campaign conducted by the congressional candidates in this county combined with the several contests among the county candidates was responsible for bringing the full voting strength. The Board of Elections, realizing the urgent need of early voting, issued an appeal that ballots be cast early. Their call was heeded and before 9 o'clock there was a steady stream of voters at practically all the wards in the city. Favorable weather aided also in bringing out a heavy vote.

It was a strenuous day for the judges who went on duty at 5 o'clock and at an early hour this morning were still counting votes with every indication that those in the city would be still busy until daylight, if not later. The returns from the rural districts came in fairly early as the voting in New Hanover was not heavy outside of the city.

Watch for Returns.

Between 600 and 700 candidates, friends of candidates and political fans stood in front of The Star office last night until well after midnight and watched the election returns as they were thrown on the bulletin board.

Although the returns were slow coming in on account of the heavy vote cast and the tedious process of counting, the crowds betrayed great interest in getting even a general idea of the way candidates were running in the county, State and Congressional primaries, as shown on the screen by the powerful stereopticon lantern used.

Concerts at Lumina Today.

Don Richardson's orchestra, 3:30 to 8:20. (Advertisement).

FURNITURE COMPANY PURCHASES BUILDING

Which Was Formerly Occupied By American National Bank

Wilmington Furniture Company Will Occupy New Location After August—Consideration Was Approximately $40,000.

An important real estate deal was announced yesterday, this being the purchase by the Wilmington Furniture Company, a well known business firm of this city, of the building on North Front street next door to Belk-Williams Company, which was occupied until a few months ago by the American National Bank. The consideration is understood to have been in the neighborhood of $40,000. The building has been vacant since the American National Bank was consolidated with the Atlantic Trust and Banking Company. The new owners will move into this building on or about August 1.

It has been rumored on the streets for several days that the furnithre company was negotiating for the sale or lease of the building, which is considered a very valuable piece of property, centrally located, and well suited for the retail trade.

The building is easily one of the best store rooms in the city, with three floors and containing more than 12,500 square feet with modern glass front. The structure is of brick and substantially built and provided with steam heat.

The Wilmington Furniture Company is to be congratulated on having secured such splendid permanent quarters. This firm has been in business for about 12 years, beginning on a small scale at No. 111 Market street, moving later to No. 129 Market street and in 1907 removed to the Garrell building, where it has been ever since and where it has built up one of the largest and best furniture stores in this section. Its success is another evidence of the wisdo mof applying and adhering to correct business methods coupled with a liberal use of printer's ink. Its policy has always been to sell reliable goods at moderate prices.

When Mr. Henderson Cole, the founder and manager of the company, was seen yesterday he stated that he would take possession of the newly purchased building on July 1 and that he would make some alterations before moving into it which he hopes to do early in August with an entirely new stock of goods.

He stated that he did not yet know whether or not the company would give up its present location. Both stores may be operated by the firm. The firm will have the continued good wishes of its many friends as it enters upon another era in its growth.

ATTRACTIVE WEEK-END AND SUMMER EXCURSION RATES

Atlantic Coast Line Plans to Bring Thousands of Visitors to Beaches.

According to its usual custom, the Atlantic Coast Line is planning to inaugurate Sunday trains and low excursion rates as well as week end and summer excursion fares to Wilmington with the opening up of the summer season at Wrightsville Beach, Carolina Beach and Southport, these becoming effective next Sunday.

Advertisements covering the several reduced round trip fares referred to have been sent to the newspapers within a radius of several hundred miles of Wilmington and have distributed far and wide hand bills announcing Sunday excursion schedules and fares which taxe effect next Sunday.

Tickets will be sold for No. 91, arriving in Wilmington at 1:15 A. M. Saturday night, and for No. 41, arriving here at 9:50 A. M. Sunday morning, good to return leaving Wilmington at 6:45 Sunday evening and 3:40 A. M. Monday morning, at the following fares: Rocky Mount, $2.50; Sharpsburg, $2.40; Elm City, $2.25; Wilson, $2; Fremont, $1.90; Goldsboro, $1.50; Mount Olive, $1.40; Faison, $1.30; Warsaw, $1.10; Magnolia, $1.00; Rose Hill, 85 cents; Wallace, 70 cents; Burgaw, 45 cents, and intermediate points at correspondingly low rates.

For the new Sunday train leaving Fayetteville at 7:15 A. M. and arriving in Wilmington at 10:15 A. M., limited returning to leave Wilmington at 6:30 P. M. on date of sale, tickets will be sold at the folowing low rates: Fayetteville, $1.50; Autryville, $1.40; Roseboro, $1.30; Parkersburg, $1.25; Ivanhoe, 85 cents; Currie, 45 cents, and intermediate points between Wilmington and Fayetteville at correspondingly low fares.

Tickets will be sold for the new Sunday train leaving Newbern at 7 A. M. and arriving in Wilmington at 10:15 A. M., limited returning to the train leaving Wilmington at 7:30 P. M. on date of sale at the following low rates: Newbern, $1.25; Pollocksville, $1.10; Maysville, $1.00; Verona, 85 cents; Woodside, 55 cents, and intermediate points at correspondingly low rates.

Tickets will be sold for the new Sunday train leaving Conway at 5:40 A. M. and reaching Wilmington at 9:15 A. M., also for the noon train on Sundays, limited returning on the new Sunday train leaving Wilmington at 6:20 P. M. They will also be honored for return passage on the 3:45 train from Wilmington. From Conway the fare for round trip will be $2; for Mt. Tabor, $1.55; Chadbourn, $1.25; Lake Waccamaw, $1; Newberlin, 50 cents, and correspondingly low rates for intermediate points.

The fact is prominently brought in the circulars and advertising that children of 5 and under 12 years of age will be entitled to half of the foregoing fares, and another leading feature is that a convenient opportunity is offered the passengers in the interior to visit the beaches at low cost.

ENTHUSIASTIC OVER CONVENTION PROSPECTS

Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt Spent Yesterday in Wilmington.

Secretary of North Carolina Good Roads Association Here to Arrange for Annual Meeting. Tentative Programme.

Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, of Chapel Hill, secretary of the North Carolina Good Roads Association, who was in Wilmington yesterday, was enthusiastic over the outlook for the annual convention which is to be held at Wrightsville Beach June 21-23, inclusive. Dr. Pratt came to this city for the purpose of conferring with the local committees in regard to the convention. He met the members of the executive committee and committee chairmen yesterday morning at the Chamber of Commerce and later in the day conferred with Chairman W. A. McGirt, of the executive committee, and Secretary H. B. Branch, of the Chamber of Commerce.

The programme for the convention has been arranged tentatively and will be announced within the next few days. It was decided yesterday that a "Get Together" meeting should be held at the Oceanic hotel, which will be the headquarters of the convention following the afternoon meeting on Wednesday. The Rotary Club has promised a "few stunts" for this event.

The convention will be called formally to order at 10 o'clock on Wednesday morning, June 21st, by Mr. H. B. Varner, president of the North Carolina Good Roads Association. After the invocation by a local minister and music by the Acme Male quartette the visitors will be welcomed by Mayor Thos. H. Wright, of the town for Wrightsville Beach, and Mayor P. Q. Moore for Wilmington; Chairman W. A. McGirt for New Hanover county; Col. J. VanB. Metts for the Wilmington Highway Association. Responses to the addresses will be made by Mr. H. B. Varner and Lieut. Gov. E. L. Daughtridge.

The afternoon session on Wednesday will be devoted to addresses among those on the programme being Mr. D. H. Winslow, senior engineer in charge of maintenance of the United States office of public roads and rural engineering; Mr. Henry G. Shirley, State road engineer of Maryland and president of American Association of State Highway Officials.

Dr. H. M. Rowe, president of the American Automobile Association, of Baltimore, who will be one of the distinguished visitors at the convention, is also one the programme for an address.

Thursday morning the visitors will be taken for an inspection tour over the roads of New Hanover county and will be given an opportunity to witness the work of placing road binding baterial for road maintenance, this being a practical demonstration. Automobiles will leave the city hall promptly at 10 o'clock. Luncheon will be served upon completion of the trip at the plant of the Carolina Metal Products Company, where the visitors will be the guests of the general manager, Mr. Geo. P. Galvin, and the company.

Thursday afternoon there will be another business meeting at which Dr. Charles T. Nesbitt and others will make addresses. Chairman W. A. McGirt and Mr. W. D. MacMillan, Jr., are also on the programme for addresses.

On Thursday night, Hon. O. L. Evans, president of the Virgina Road Builders' Association, Mr. G. Herbert Smith, of Acme, and Dr. C. P. Ambler, of Asheville, will make addresses.

Mr. Leonard Tufts, of Pinehurst, president of the North Carolina Agricultural Society, will preside at the Friday morning session. One of the prominent speakers at this meeting will be Dr. O. G. Falls, of King's Mountain, president of the North Carolina Association of County Commissioners. The afternoon session, which will conclude the convention proper, will be devoted to the election of officers and the transaction of other business.

On Friday evening, June 23rd, there will be a grand parade from the Oceanic Hotel to Lumina, where a souvenir dance will be given in honor of the visitors to the road convention.

Dr. Pratt returned yesterday afternoon to his home at Chapel Hill, having come to Wilmington directly from Washington, D. C. Dr. Pratt has been busy in and out of season getting publicity for the convention. Following is the text of a circular sent out from his office the past week:

Do you want to forget self and take part in a big, history-making movement?

Attend the North Carolina good roads convention at Wrightsville Beach, June 21-23.

Some reasons why you should attend this convention:

Because you will be able to increase your environment by taking part in a movement which is now state-wide and nation-wide.

Because you should help create sentiment for the best possible expenditure of the money you are each year putting on the public roads in the way of taxes, automobile license fees, bond issues, etc.

Because you are personally interested in the proper maintenance of every mile of public road in North Carolina. Why? If you own an automobile, you may go over any one mile of road in the State at most any time and if it is not in good condition, that mile may cost you $100 or more for repairs. Even if you do not own a machine and are a city-dweller, the condition of the county roads affect your business very vitally if you are a merchant, a doctor, a rural preacher, a teacher, or whatever may be your calling or profession or trade. If a farmer, the condition of the roads is still more a vital problem with you, determining your time and cost of haulage.

Because the Federal government is now taking an active interest in road construction and maintenance and we all want North Carolina to get the greatest possible benefit from this cooperation right from the beginning. Let's not lose a dollar from any lack of cooperation or dilatoriness on our part. We want to get together and talk it over.

Because we want systems of roads in North Carolina. We want our roads to begin somewhere and end somewhere so that if you start from Wilmington or Newbern or Goldsboro or Fayetteville or any other town in the State and want to go to Asheville or any other town, you can do so with a maximum of comfort and pleasure and a minimum of expense.

Because you constitute a unit in this great commonwealth and no great

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WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH TO OBSERVE FLAG DAY

In Accordance With Proclamation Of President Wilson

Popular Summer Resort Will be in Festive Attire on June 14th—Committee Appointed to Arrange for Celebration.

President Wilson in a proclamation has called upon all patriotic citizens and communities to celebrate June 14th in a suitable manner as the birthday of the American flag, and as Wrightsville Beach is not only a most patriotic community, but has for her summer residents citizens of the most progressive spirit, it was determined at a meeting held yesterday in the office of Mr. Henry E. Bonitz, architect, that the beach citizens would endeavor to make Flag Day a memorable event in the history of this popular summer resort.

A committee of citizens of Wrightsville Beach called together by Mayor Thomas H. Wright, met yesterday and appointed the following committee of arrangements, headed by Mr. W. A. French as chairman: T. H. Wright, Mayor Wrightsville Beach; M. F. H. Gouverneur, vice president Tidewater Power Co.; H. B. Branch, secretary Chamber of Commerce, Wilmington; J. A. Taylor, president Community Association, Wrightsville Beach; Raymond Hunt, assistant general manager Tidewater Power Co., and H. E. Bonitz, architect.

It is needless to say that the above named gentlemen will see that Flag Day is celebrated in a most appropriate manner and fitting to the cause that Flag Day represents, having in mind carrying out the desires of our earnest and patriotic President.

The chairman, Mr. W. A. French, during the next few days will address a letter to the citizens of Wrightsville Beach, asking for suggestions as to an appropriate manner in which Flag Day can be celebrated. While no plans have been thoroughly developed for the celebration of this day, yet the people of Wilmington and surrounding towns and cities may look forward to a patriotic gala day.

It has been suggested that a chorus of more than 100 girls and boys be secured for this occasion, and that they be trained to sing the patriotic airs, and most especially "The Star Spangled Banner," for this occasion, at Lumina. If the chorus is secured the singing will most likely take place at Lumina in the evening, accompanied by the Don Richardson orchestra, which is serving another season at Lumina.

Of course, all the cottages on Wrightsville Beach will be decorated with American flags, the right-of-way from Station One to Lumina will be a continued festoon of Old Glory, and Lumina will be handsomely arrayed in a patriotic costume.

It has also been suggested that lanterns with the American ensigns painted on the same be suspended from the porches of the cottages and hotels along Lumina avenue, and that these be lighted in the early part of the evening, which will add much beauty to this festive occasion.

It is the earnest desire of the citizens' committee of Wrightsville Beach to see an American flag floating from every cottage, home, boarding house and hotel on National Flag Day. The committee desires not only the co-operation of the citizens of Wrightsville Beach, but it is their wish that all patriotic citizens of all nationalities join in with them.

The great success of the celebration at the beach last year when the Feast of Lanterns was observed, will long be remembered by the thousands who attended the festivities. This celebration was in charge of Mr. H. E. Bonitz and remembering with what spirit the citizens of Wilmington and visitors had entered into this celebration, as soon as he saw the proclamation of President Wilson it occurred to him that it would be eminently wise to observe the day at the beach. He at once took up the matter with Mr. Hugh MacRae, who first suggested the idea of having the Feast of Lanterns, and other officials of the Tidewater Power Company, and it met with their cordial approval. Mayor Thos. H. Wright thought the sugestion a splendid one and steps were at once taken to make arrangements to this end.

A short history of the American Flag at this time would be appropriate.

"Flag of the heroes who left us their glory—
Borne through their battle field's thunder and flame,
Blazoned in song and illumined in story,
Wave o'er us all who inherit their fame."

On June 14th, 1777, the "Stars and Stripes" by act of Congress, became the official flag of the United States. Previous to this, at different times and on different occasions, numerous flags—nearly 70, it is said, in number—had floated over the Colonies.

The flag of the 13 United Colonies, which was first raised at Washington's headquarters in Cambridge, Mass., January 2nd, 1776, had 13 stripes, alternate red and white, the union being the crosses of St. Andrew and St. George on a blue field; and this flag, undoubtedly, carried something of a suggestion for the design of the "Stars and Stripes."

In response to a request from General Washington that a flag should be adopted which would enable the American vessels to recognize each other, a committee was appointed by Congress to take into consideration the designing of such a flag. Every school boy knows the story of how this committee, of which Washington was a member, called on Mrs. Betsy Ross, the widow of John Ross, an expert needlewoman, who conducted an upholstery business at her home—the house is now 239 Arch street, below Third street, Philadelphia—and arranged with her to make the flag. A design was shown her, and she suggested that Washington re-draw it, which he did. You remember how she also suggested that the stars should be five-pointed, and, taking a piece of paper, she folded it deftly, and, with a cut of the scissors, showed how readily these five-pointed stars could be made. From the design as re-drawn, was made the first "Star Spangled Banner."

On the date mentioned, June 14th, 1777, the committee reported to Congress, and the following resolution was passed: "Resolved, That the flag of the 13 United States be 13 stripes, alternate red and white; that the union be 13 stars, white in a blue field, representing a new constellation."

At the time of the adoption of this resolution, Washington said, "We take the Star from Heaven, the red from our mother country, separating it by white stripes, thus showing that we have separated from her, and the white stripes shall go down to posterity representing Liberty."

SOROSIS COMMITTEE MAKES APPEAL FOR MILK STATION

Need for Such an Institution Greatly Felt in Heaten Season of Summer.

The committee from North Carolina Sorosis to solicit funds for the support of a milk station in Wilmington for the purpose of furnishing proper milk for babies, has issued an appeal to the public, urging that contributions be made to this worthy purpose. The nature of the institution has been fully explained and it has the endorsement of the physicians of the city. Following is a statement from the Sorosis committee:

"Are you interested in the welfare of the babies? If so, send in at once your contribution to the committee in charge of the milk station fund.

"There are many mothers in the city who through ignorance or lack of means are feeding their little babies 'pot licker' and other food which satisfies the hunger of the child but does not give the nourishment the body needs for growth and development.

"As the heated season advances these babies become ill and the mothers are not able to provide the needed nourishment; neither can they take the child away to the mountains or seashore for the change which so often proves beneficial, but must fight the battle against disease at home often amidst the most unsanitary conditions. The Baby Hospital is open to receive sick babies and is doing a splendid work, but even though the child receives treatment there, and is sent home cured, if the proper food is not continued it will be only a question of time until it will be back in the same conditdon. The milk station will meet this need and will not only be a means of saving lives but will be an education to the mothers as they will receive instructions about the care of babies from those in charge.

"A number of mothers, able to pay for the daily feedings for their babies, have expressed their delight at the prospect of having a place where they can purchase modified milk.

"'Just a little help from you' will make this worthy enterprise a reality.'

"COMMITTEE FROM SOROSIS."

POLICE RECOVER FOWLS

Hidden by Thieves, and Restore Them to Owners.

Two sacks containing 22 chickens, three of which were dead, were found yesterday by Officer A. D. Smith, in the warehouse of W. B. Thorp & Company yesterday morning, where they were probably hidden by the negro who stole them.

The furtive maneuvers of a negro who was burdened with the sacks or similar ones caused residents of that section to call up the police station and report their suspicions. Officer Smith was detailed to make an investigation, and soon found the fowls, several of whom were later identified by their owners at the police station.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Alma Shingleton, of Hampstead, is the guest of Mrs. A. Fred DeVere, of this city.

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Mr. W. L. Hardy, of Seven Springs, is in the city visiting his daughter, Mrs. Clyde Croom, No. 409 South Sixth street.

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Mrs. M. E. Graham and children, of Jacksonville, Fla., are the guests of Mrs. Graham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holden at Winter Park.

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The Missionary Society of Trinity Methodist church will hold its regular meeting next Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

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Miss Lillian Moore, of Snow Hill, and Rosabelle Taylor, of Grifton, are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. J. S. Funchess, No. 23 South Ninth street.

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The Baptist Young People's City Union will hold its regular meeting this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Young Men's Christian Association. A full attendance is desired.

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Mrs. Claire Aufrecht and daughter, Miss Edith L. Aufrecht, have left Wilmington, where they have resided for some time past, and will make their home in New York city.

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Mrs. John Watters, who has been visiting Mrs. Evander McIver Gregg for several weeks, has returned to her home in Charlotte. From Charlotte she will go to Black Mountain for the summer.

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Mr. Edwin J. McIntire, who was a member of the graduating class of Davidson College this year, is in the city to spend the summer with his mother, Mrs. S. L. McIntire, No. 819 Market street.

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Children's Day services will be held this morning at 11 o'clock at the First Baptist church. A special programme will be rendered and the parents and friends of all the children are cordially invited to be present.

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Vesper services will be conducted at the Young Women's Christian Association this afternoon at 5 o'clock by the Epworth League of Trinity Methodist church. Alexander songs will be sung. The public is invited to attend.

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The Sunday school of Bladen Street Methodist church will run a moonlight excursion Tuesday night, June 6, down the Cape Fear on the steamer Wilmington. The boat will leave her wharf at 8 o'clock. Music will be furnished by the Hanover Concert band.

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Acme, N. C., June 3.—Miss Valera Council, of Wananish, is the attractive guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. McAulay, of Acme.—Mr. and Mrs. M. B. McAulay, of Acme, will attend the dedication of the New Presbyterian church at Clarkton today.

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Miss Mabel Manning Wedge, of Gaffney, S. C., director of music at Limestone College, will render vocal selections at the morning and evening services today at the First Baptist church. She is th guest of Mrs. H. L. Fennell at the latter's residence on Market street.

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The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will run an excursion to Carolina Beach Tuesday, June 6th. The regular beach fare will be charged and ice cream will be sold. All are invited to come and have a good time. The boat leaves at 9 o'clock.

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The Bible class of the Sunday school of St. Matthew's Lutheran Sunday school will have a lawn party at the church Wednesday afternoon and evening from 5 to 10 o'clock. Refreshments will be served and a silver offering taken for the benefit of the improvement fund. Cakes and candies will be sold.

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The physical committee of the Young Women's Christian Association will meet tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. The finance committee will meet Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock and the social committee will meet Tuesday at noon. The house committee will meet Wednesday at 10 o'clock. On Thursday morning the regular meeting of the board of directors will be held.

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A musicale was given Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hall by ladies of Winter Park Methodist church. An attractive programme which included piano solos by Miss Hattie Durant and Miss Emma D. Yopp. Selections were also rendered by the Bladen Street church's male quartette; while Miss Annie Sullivan gave several readings. Following the entertainment, refreshments were served.

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At the home of Mrs. H. W. Donkle, corner Fourth and Grace streets, a lawn party will be given for the benefit of St. John's Episcopal church. There will be no charge for admission and the public is cordially invited to attend. Delicious refreshments will be served. There will be enjoyable games for the children and interesting features for the older people. The hours will be 4 to 6:30 and from 7:30 to 10 o'clock.

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Of interest to many people in the coastal country is the announcement that Kamp Karlow, eleven miles from Logan, 18 miles from Bostic, N. C., is now open for the reception of guests. Miss E. Sudlow is secretary of the camp, which is located in the invigorating mountain air and amid cool, restful shades. Good roads, horses, tennis, swimming pool, shower bath, etc., are some of the many attractions offered at this delightful resort.

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It will be of interest and pleasure to the many friends in Wilmington of Mr. G. G. Avant, a student the past year at A. & M. College, Raleigh, to know that in the recent appointment of regimental officers for the next school year, he was honored with the commission as Captain and Adjutant, a very high distinction and one which is worthily bestowed. Mr. Avant is a son of Mrs. Lena Avant, of this city, and has a host of friends who will congratulate him upon the honor that has come to him.

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Lumberton, N. C., June 3.—A beautiful marriage was solemnized at the First Baptist church Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, Mr. Manly Lee and Miss Emma Higley being the contracting parties. The ceremony was performed by the pastor Rev. C. L. Greaves, in the presence of a large gathering of friends. The church was beautifully decorated, making a scene of rare beauty. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Emma Higley, and one of Lumberton's most popular young ladies. Mr. Lee is one of Lumberton's most popular young men. He holds the position of bookkeeper for the Kingsdale Lumber Company.

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Lumberton, N. C., June 3.—The following invitation has been received by friends here:

Doctor and Mrs. George Lennon Clark
request the pleasure of your company
at the marriage of their daughter
Kittie Graham
to
Doctor David Durham King
on Wednesday afternoon, June
twenty-first
One thousand nine hundred and sixteen
four o'clock
at home
Clarkton, North Carolina

Dr. King is a prominent dentist of Lumberton, held in the highest esteem by a large circle of friends, while the bride-to-be is one of Clarkton's fairest and most lovable young ladies.

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HISTORICAL CONTEST PRIZES WERE AWARDED YESTERDAY.

Mrs. James G. Kenan, president of Cape Fear Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, presented yesterday the historical prizes, offered by the Daughters in a contest for the best essay on the subject, "The Blockade, 1861-65." The presentation took place at the home of Mrs. Kenan. Others present were Mrs. E. M. Gregg, chairman of the historical committee ,and Miss Lena Beery, recording secretary. Owing to the heavy work of the pupils during the last days of school this term, the essays were not handed in in time for the commencement exercises as had been first planned.

Miss Gladys V. Price won the handsome gold maltese cross on which is engraved the words, "Gladys V. Price from Cape Fear Chapter, U. D. C., 1916; Misses Katherine Windley, Mary Burriss and May Sanders or the Union school ,and Miss Winfield Norriss, of the Hemenway school, each won a beautiful silver cross.

It is the purpose of the Cape Fear Chapter to interest the children of this generation to learn something of past history. President Wilson in his National Memorial speech at Arlington on the 30th of May impressed upon his audience the importance or their loving the land of their birth, and to do this the children must become familiar with its current history.

Each year the prizes will be given for the best essays written by the school children, the subject to be selected by the historical committee of Cape Fear Chapter, U. D. C.

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LITTLE CONFEDERATES AT WARSAW ARE ENTERTAINED

Warsaw, N. C., June 3.—Miss Martha Best was hostess to the Little Confederates Chapter C. of C., at her home on last Friday afternoon. The meeting was held on the lawn. The program consisted of readings on Southern poets. Miss Martha Best read a sketch of Sydney Lanier, Miss Lois Best one on Henry Timrod, and Miss Sallie Faison Best gave the origin of Dixie. Refreshments of delicious ice cream and cake were served.

An interesting meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society was held at the Presbyterian church on last Thursday night, with Mr. Walker Stevens, leader. The topic for the evening was "Missions Blessing the world." Several Scripture readings were given, and a talk on the subject by Rev. Carlyle Powell. A solo was sung by Miss Anna Pierce, and a duet, "Ivory Palaces," by Mesdames Clarence Brown and W. B. Aycocks. Another, "Love Like His,"

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Wrightsville Beach

Mrs. Crabb has again opened the Georgia cottage at No. 109 Lumina avenue, being one of the first to move to the beach for the summer.

The well known Nothrop cottage under the management of Mrs. W. H. Northrop is now open for guests. This cottage is located just south of the Seashore hotel.

Messrs. T. R. Matthews, Atlanta, Ga.; H. B. Jamison, Baltimore, and P. H. Aldridge, of Columbia, are spending several days on the beach. They arrived Friday and are stopping at the Seashore Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Schoolfield, of Mullins, S. C., arrived yesterday and joined a party at the Seashore hotel composed of Mrs. T. S. Smith, Miss Margaret Smith, Miss Kate Schoolfield and Mr. Henry Schoolfield, all of Mullins.

Among yesterday's arrivals at the Seashore hotel were: T. M. Cooper, W. S. Alsop, J. W. McGuigan and J. D. Hall, of Enfield, N. C.; W. S. McKee, Baltimore, Md.; and W. B. F. Wright, Norfolk, Va., who will spend the week on the beach.

Mrs. Geoffrey C. Adams, of New York, who for the past several years has spent her summers at the Beach, is registered at the Seashore hotel for the season. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Metz, of Columbia, S. C., who arrived yesterday, are also here for the season.

PROGRAMME OF CONCERT TO BE GIVEN AT LUMINA TONIGHT

The first concert by Don Richardson's orchestra will be given this afternoon at Lumina and will include a number of favorite selections. Tonight another concert will be given, the programme for which follows:

Overture "Rhinefels"....R. Gruenwald
Sesame (Intermezzo Arabian)..R. King
Humoresque ..... Dvorak
Chrysanthemums (Reverie)..Wm. Penn
Intermission.
Faust Selection .....Gounod
Shades of Night ..... Friedland
Hungarian Dance No. 1.....Brahms
Panamericana (Morceau Charastericstic) ..... Victor Herbert

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

—Mr. E. L. White, local manager of the T. S. Southgate Agency, has returned from Norfolk where he spent the past few days on business.

—Mr. George F. Mountford, of this city, has gone to Williamsburg, Va., where he has accepted the position of publisher of the Williamsburg Gazette, one of the most influential weeklies of that section of Virginia.

—Among the arrivals at The Orton yesterday were: Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Smith, Bolton; Judge R. W. Winston, Raleigh; C. H. Cothran, Rocky Point; C .D. Ferrell, Wilson; W. D. Douglass, Charlotte; Mrs. E. T. Carpenter; Bolton and J. F. Woodward, Warsaw.

—Among the arrivals at the Hotel Wilmington yesterday were H. M. Mitchell, Durham; A. B. Glass, Reidsville; T. J. Edwards, Bolton; R. T. Williams, Roseboro; Floyd Johnson, Cerro Gordo; A. C. Luther, Jr., Washington; J. A. Withers, Fayetteville; W. F. Carter, Bowden; Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Meyers, Bolton, and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Chubb, Laurinburg.

LOCAL DOTS

—Photographs of the graduating classes from the Union and Hemenway schools, and pictures of the Isaac Bear and Cornelius Harnett groups may be seen at Yates' Book Store. Kodaks of Union children in Shakespearean play may be seen there, also.

JONES ON CAPTURED VESSEL

Writes Justice Bornemann From Montreal of Experiences.

Charles H. Jones, formerly a detective here, is now chief Steward of a British transport engaged in carrying provisions from Canada to the allies according to a letter received here recently by Justile G. W. Borneman. The letter in question is dated at Montreal and the writer states that the vessel he is on now was captured by the Germans and which was known at the time of its capture as the Barenfels. It now sails under the unpoetical name of Transport G-2810.

The letter which is brief gives an account of some of the writer's recent experiences, and a poem written by a British soldier in the trenches is enclosed. Several weeks ago, Mr. Jones who was then a similar work in the Mediterranean, wrote Judge Borfiemann a long letter telling of dodging submarines and the like.

EPWORTH LEAGUE OF GRACE CHURCH TO HOLD ANNIVERSARY

Tonight, When Recently Elected Officers Will be Installed.

The Epworth League of Grace Methodist church will hold its anniversary service, which will include the installation of new officers, tonight at 8 o'clock. Rev. M. T. Plyler, pastor of the church, will deliver a special address to the young people.

Officers will be installed as follows: Mrs. H. B. Branch, president; Mr. W. A. Marshall, vice president; Mr. R. L. Benson, secretary; Miss Mary L. Boykin, treasurer; Mrs. Jack Newman, Jr., corresponding secretary; Miss Eunice Tucker, superintendent religious department; Mrs. J. D. Robbins, superintendent of social service; Miss Hattie Willis, superintendent of recreation; Miss Edna Vaughn, superintendent missionary department; Mrs. T. L. Cromartie, superintendent junior league; Miss Yannie Craig, Epworth Era agent.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES AT DOCK STREET CHURCH.

Beginning Today Will be Conducted by Rev. Raleigh L. Topping.

Beginning this morning at 11 o'clock when the first sermon will be preached by Rev. J. F. Reynolds, pastor of the church, a series of evangelistic services will be held at the Dock Street Christian church. The meetings thereafter will be conducted by Rev. Raleigh L. Topping, of Rosemary, N. C., who will arrive here Monday and preach his first sermon Monday night.

Rev. Mr. Topping is an evangelist of unusual ability. The local church feels very fortunate in being able to secure his services in conducting the meetings. The services each evening will begin promptly at 7:45 o'clock.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed for record yesterday in the office of the Register of Deeds: Wilmington Beach Corporation to E. J. Grimesly, Jr., for $1 and other considerations, lot at Wilmington Beach; W. G. Fergus and wife to A. W. Pate, for $10 and other considerations, lot at Carolina Beach; Wilmington Beach Corporation, for $10 and other considerations, lot at Wilmington Beach.

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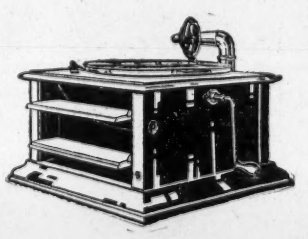

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Received today some Pretty New Skirts; Sport Skirts as low as $1.25 apiece, and also we have them at $3.50, $4.50 and $5.98; beautiful goods. A few nice silk skirts at $5.50 apiece.

We are showing some nice Suits at $7.48 each; sample goods, new and pretty, worth from $10.00 to $12.50 each, for ladies.

A big line of Beach and Yard Hats from 10c. to 25c. each.

Remember, we sell White Skirts in all prices, 75c. up.

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NEW Wash Skirts

Our showing of Wash Skirts was never quite as complete as this season's. All the new Sport Models, plain or plaited, detachable belts, slit or patch pockets, made of Pique, Cordeline, Gabardine, Novelty Stripes, Awning Stripes and Corduroys; all lengths; all waists ... ... $1.25 to $5.00

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During these fifteen days we will remark and reduce every article in price and everything will be sold at old time bargain prices.

We believe that it is to your best interest to buy here for our stock presents the most trustworthy merchandise that the great market affords and our assortment in every department are complete with merchandise that you have need of right now and during this mighty cut price June Sale our CASH prices are positively the lowest that can be named for quality.

Now every one knows that the market in all lines are daily advancing and especially on Shoes and Dry Goods and Dry Goods of a dependable color are hard to obtain at any price owing to the scarcity of dyes. Our stocks in every department are complete with goods that can fully be reduced on and during this sale we shall offer every article at a great reduction.

Term of this mighty sale will be Cash and one price to all. Every article will be marked in plain figures on a large tag.

If You Want to Save Money Don't Miss This Big Sale. No Goods Sent Out on Approval During This Sale

THURSDAY, at 9 A. M., we will sell a 9-yard Dress Pattern of 7 1-2c. Figured Lawn for **19c**

SALE LASTS ONLY 15 MINUTES

THURSDAY, at 4 P. M., we will sell one lot of Ladies' Hats and Shaper, values up to $1.00; each for **49c**

THURSDAY, at 9 A. M., we will sell each a Handkerchief, Necktie and a pair of Hose, total value for all, 40c., for **19c**

SALE LASTS ONLY 15 MINUTES

FRIDAY, at 10 A. M., we will sell 20 ten-yard Patterns of 12 1-2c. Dress Ginghams, per pattern **69c**

THURSDAY, at 9 A. M., we will sell each a pair of good School Hose; sizes 5 to 6 1-2, for **5c**

SALE LASTS ONLY 15 MINUTES

SATURDAY, at 10 A. M., we will sell Men's $1.50 Overalls, per pair **$1.19**

Read These Few Crushing Prices Picked at Random and Watch Our New Ads.

CLEARANCE SALE PRICE ON FINE COTTON GOODS, WOOL DRESS GOODS AND SILKS.

12 1-2c Lawn and Checked Muslin **9c**
12 1-2c Figured Mulls **9c**
7 1-2c Figured Lawns **5c**
35c White Garbadine **22c**
Excellent Skirt Goods.
40c "Bon Tex" Quality Cloth .. **27c**
Honey Comb and Basket Weave Skirt Cloth.
12 1-2c Dress Gingham **9c**
12 1-2c Percale, all fast colors... **9c**
18c Kiddie or Play Cloth, fine for Wash Suits and Rompers, all colors **12½c**
12 1-2c Figured Voiles **9c**
25c Military Striped Voiles, a beautiful dress goods **19c**
18c White Shirt Waist Linen. **12½&**
High Grade Galatea Cloth, 18c value **15c**
29c Blue and Brown Dress Linens, capes **22c**
40-in. Flaxon, very sheer, worth 25c; June Sale **15c**
25c Flaxon, per yard, 36-in..... **19c**
12 1-2c Linen Suiting, reseeda, green, Belgian, Navy, Copen. tan and white for, per yard... **9c**
50c all pure linen Skirt Cloth, tan color; June Sale **35c**

STAPLE COTTON GOODS

Yard-wide Bleached Domestic, worth 10c. June Sale price.... **7c**
15c "Andriscoggin or Fruit or the Loom" Bleached Domestic... **11c**
10cc yard-wide Sea Island Sheeting, fine quality **8c**
12 1-2c Mattress Ticking. June Sale price **9c**
30c Best Feather Ticking, A. C. A. Brand **23c**
50c Bleached Table Linen, June Sale price, per yard **39c**
30c Bleached Table Damask, white only, per yard **22c**
10-4 Bleached and Unbleached Peperel Sheeting, worth 45c, June Sale price **33c**
8-4 Bleached and Unbleached Peperell Sheets, June Sale price. . **25c**
72x90 Bed Sheets **39c**
Seemless Sheets **69c**
Pillow Cases **9c**
Dreamland Pillow Cases **13c**
$1.00 Counterpanes. **75c**
$1.50 Counterpanes **$1.19**
15c Huck Towels **10c**
15c Bath Towels **10c**
15c Ladies' and Gents' Hose ... **11c**
Ladies' White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs **4c**
Men's Handkerchiefs **4c**
25c Ladies' and Gents' Hose ... **19c**
50c Silk Hose **42c**

SILK AND WOOLEN DRESS GOODS.

50c China Silk **43c**
75c Shirt Waist Silks **59c**
$1.50 Chiffon Taffeta Silk, yd **$1.10**
$1.50 Crepe de Chine, per yd . **$1.10**
$1.25 Serge, all wool, ... **93c**
69c Serge, all colors **49c**
69c Angora Taffeta Suiting, yard, or Silver Bloom **45c**

READY TO WEAR DEPARTMENT

Our entire stock of new Spring Coat Suits will be sold at less than cost.
$8.00 Palm Beach Coat Suits, all sizes, at **$5.98**
$1.00 Ladies' and Misses' Cool Cloth Coat Suits **$7.98**
50c Shirt Waists, each **44c**
$1.00 Shirt Waists **89c**
$2.98 Shirt Waists, Crepe de Chine, June Sale **$1.98**
Gabardine Skirts, excellent quality, white **$1.98**
Striped Skirts, Galatea **$1.98**
One lot of slightly Soiled Skirts, color; white; choice **79c**
Our Muslin Underwear Depaartment will offer some very attractive bargains in Corset Covers, Drawers, Skirts, Gowns.

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING AND FURNISHING DEPARTMENT

Men's Palm Beach Suits, $7.50 values; Clearance Sale suit. . **$5.98**
Men's Cool Cloth Suits, in all the new styles and colors, for . **$8.48**
Men's $12.50 to $15.00 Suits, in all wool Serge and fancy mixtures, made by the best tailors and we guarantee a perfect fit in every suits; Clearance Sale price, per suit **$9.98**
Men's $12.50 Blue Serge Suits **$9.48**
Men's $10.00 Suits **$8.48**
Boys' Palm Beach Suits, per suit, from ..... **$2.98** to **$3.98**
Boys' Blue Serge and Fancy Mixture Suits, made in all the new summer styles,.. **$1.98** to **$5.98**
Boys' Knee Pants **48c**
Boys' Knickerbocker Knee Pants, all wool **$1.48**
Men's Working Pants, each ... **98c**
Men's Dress Pants, **$1.48** to **$4.98**
Men's $3.50 Panama Hats .. **$2.29**
Men's $5.00 Panama Hats... **$3.98**
Men's Straw Hats, in all the new summer styles and shapes, **79c** to **$2.48**
Men's 50c Negligee Dress Shirts; Clearance Sale price, each .. **44c**
Men's $1.00 to $1.25 Dress Shirts, each **89c**
Men's 25c Underwear; all styles; nainsook or balbriggan; per garment **22c**
B. V. D. Underwear, per garment **48c**
French Hand Bags and Suit Cases, at Bargain prices, **19c** to **$1.98**
Boys' Poros Knit Union Suits, per suit **22c**

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

$1.50 Ladies' Trimmed Hats; June Sale price **98c**
$1.69 Panama Hats **$1.29**
$10.00 and $12.00 Ladies' Trimmed Pattern Hats; Sale price only **$2.48**
$3.00 Panama Hats; June Sale price **$1.98**
All Shapes are sold at Actual Cost, and are Trimmed Free.
Ladies' Leghorn Hats; large shapes, trimmed and untrimmed, from **98c** to **$3.00**
One Special lot of Shapes, featuring all new mid-summer styles; value up to $1.25 each; your choice of them for **69c**
Children's Hats, all styles and shapes, will be closed out at Special Bargain prices.
9-4 Bleached and Unbleached Pepperell Sheeting; worth 35c; June Sale price **29c**

SHOES AND OFORDS.

200 pairs of Ladies' and Misses' fine Shoes and Oxfords, worth $1.75, for **$1.48**
Ladies' $2.50 Shoes and Oxfords for **$1.98**
Ladies' and Misses' $3.00 Shoes and Oxfords, in tan, black and gun metal, for **$2.48**
Ladies' and Misses' $3.50 Shoes and Oxfords, in all the new styles —button or lace; sandals and pumps; all leathers, per pair **$2.69**
Barefoot Sandals **98c**
Ladies' and Misses' $4.00 Shoes and Oxfords **$3.48**
Men's $2.00 Work Shoes . . **$1.69**
Cygolf and White House Shoes and Oxfords, for men, $4.50 to $5 values, for **$3.89**
Men's $2.25 Black and Tan Shoes, for **$1.75**
Men's $2.50 Shoes and Oxfords, in patent leather, gun metal and vici kid, for **$1.98**
Men's $3 Shoes and Oxfords **$2.48**
Men's White Oxfords, rubber or leather bottoms; regular $2.00 values, for **$1.48**

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White and Black Tennis Oxfords, at ..... **42c** to **98c**

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SOCIAL

(Continued From Page Six)

by Mrs. J. H. Newbury and Miss Sallie Bussey.

An interesting children's day service was held at the Methodist church on last Sunday evening. The church was appropriately decorated with pink roses and potted plants. A programme of music and recitations was charmingly rendered by the primary pupils of the Sunday school.

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Wilson, N. C., June 3.—Mrs. Charles L. Coon, president of the Wilson Woman's Club, announces a new department of the organization, that of young women, who will work along social welfare lines under the auspices of the club. The Woman's Club is taking large interest in civic affairs and during the year has originated several important features.—Miss Elizabeth Griffin was awarded the medal for the best grade of the year at the closing exercises of Mrs. Purvis' music class.—Special services were held at St. Timothy's Episcopal church Thursday morning—Ascension day.

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WILSON COUNTY CLUB'S NEW HOME SOON TO BE OPENED

Wilson, N. C., Ju.—Within a very short time the handsome club house and attractive grounds of the Wilson Country Club will be thrown open and and it is expected that the formal opening will be not later than three weeks. The directors have appointed standing committees for the year:

House Committee: S. H. Anderson, T. W. Washington, W. F. Woodard, F. M. Bridgers, W. T. Clark.

Grounds Committee: R. P. Watson, Julian Lane, E. T. Barnes.

Finance Committee: T. W. Tilghman, Jonas Oettinger, Ernest Deans.

Aquatic Committee: T. C. Tilghman, T. A. Harper, J. C. Eagles.

Entertainment Committee: W. T. Clark, W. J. Boykin, B. T. Smith, Steve Anderson, W. F. Woodard.

Rules Committee: G. W. Connor, W. F. Woodard, Jonas Oettinger.

The golf course and the tennis courts are almost finished and the furniture is being placed in the building.

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EMBROIDERY CLUBS AT MOUNT OLIVE ARE ENTERTAINED

Mount Olice, N. C., June 3.—Mrs. R. A. McLean was hostess to the Merry Wives' Embroidery Club at the May meeting. The attractive home was never more beautiful than on this occasion, with its decoration of crimson ramblers and pink roses. After the roll call and reading of minutes, and the spending of some time in needle work and conversation, Mrs. McLean tested the cleverness of the club members by a contest, "An Historical Contest." Mesdames M. T. Breazeale, Blythe Morris and S. A. Wooten tied for the prize; and, in the draw that followed, Mrs. Breazeale was the winner and received a lovely pair of embroidery scissors. The hostess, assisted by Misses Daisy McLean and Eva McDonald, served a salad course, ice team and pink and white mints.

Little Miss Charlotte Taylor entertained the Little Folks' Embroidery Club Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. After the transaction of regular business and an hour at crocheting and tatting, the little hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, served a fruit course.

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WALLACE NEWS NOTES OF INTEREST IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Wallace, N. C., June 3.—There was an enthusiastic meeting of the Christian Endeavor Monday night in the Presbyterian church, Dr. Henry Carr leader; Mrs. D. W. Darden presiding at the organ. Mr. Pat Williams made an interesting and helpful talk on the subject for the meeting, "Missions." Others taking part in the program were Misses Sallie Hines, Ethel May Boney, Messrs. Robert Suggs, D. W. Darden, Mr. East and Mrs. J. W. Carroll. A beautiful quartette was rendered by Misses Ella Cooper, Jennie Clement and Messrs. I. N. Anderson and D. W. Darden. The business part of the meeting was turned over to Mr. Jeremiah Southerland, vice-president. The meeting was closed with prayer by Rev. W. F. M. Currie.

Mr. and Mrs. John Camp and little Virginia came from Franklin, Va., Sunday in their new Oldsmobile. They are accompanied by their sister, Miss Willie Camp, and Masters Hugh and P. D. Camp, Jr.

Mr. J. Pearly Murray, the popular young engineer in W. M. Rivenbark's garage, returned to town Friday with his bride, nee Miss Hettie Murray, of near Burgaw. Wallace extends to her a hearty welcome.

Misses Ellen Boney and Ellen Rose, students of the State Normal College, are home to spend their vacation.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Murphy was visited Tuesday by the stork, leaving a little girl.

Misses Anna Clement, Madge Southerland, Lillie Carr and Susie Southerland are in Hamlet where they are members of a house party given by Mrs. Allen Powers, nee Miss Susie Boney, of Wallace.

Dr. R. B. Graham, of Wilmington, was in town Tuesday on professional business.

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KINSTON SOCIETY NOTES OF A WEEK OF INTEREST

Kinston, N. C., June 3.—Many members of Winnie Davis Chapter, Children of the Confederacy, accompanied by Mrs. S. C. Sitterson, director of the chapter, picknicked at Airy Grove school, near here, today. The children of the chapter presented a portrait of General "Stonewall" Jackson to the school and were entertained by the pupils.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Heath and Mr. Ronald Newborn have been on a visit to friends at Bonnerton, N. C., where on Thursday Thomas Woodley Heath, son of Mr. and Mrs. Heath, and Miss Lucie Ross, daughter of a prominent Beaufort county family, were married. Mr. Newborn was best man. Mrs. Heath is well known here and will be the recipient of numerous social favors when the couple arrive in the city after the honeymoon.

From last Saturday until Thursday night Mrs. David L. Dixon, who as Miss Martha Hines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Waiteman T. Hines, became a bride in St. Mary's Episcopal church here yesterday morning, was the honoree at a number of social affairs. The "As You Like It" Club entertained for her at home of Miss Suzanne Martin; Mrs. S. C. Sitterson was the hostess at a function in her Mitchelltown home; Mesdames W. D. LaRoque, Oscar Greene and Harvey C. Hines jointly entertained in the home of Mrs. LaRoque; Mrs. John G. Cox gave a card party in the bride's honor and Mrs. Dan Parrott entertained the bridal party on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Barron Caldwell left Thursday night for Cliffside, N. C., to make their home. Mr. Caldwell was superintendent of the local schools for two years, but quit the profession to engage in a manufacturing business in Western North Carolina. Mrs. Caldwell is a native of that section. She has been popular in local social circles since her marriage, a few months ago.

Mrs. T. H. Martin this week accompanied her husband, a famous angler, to Morehead City, where they are spending a few days fishing. Mr. Martin has engaged in the sport all the way from Maine to Florida.

The exodus of Kinstonians to the seashore has begun. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Kennedy and Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Mitchell are couples who have already gone. They are summering at Morehead City. But the "getting away" will not begin in earnest until next week, when numbers of persons will leave for Morehead City, Wrightsville Beach, Beaufort and the mountains, to spend the season. Many families own or have rented houses at the resort places.

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REUNION AT DELL PROMISES TO BE A GREAT TREAT

Delway, N. C., June 3.—It will be a matter of interest to the former students, teachers and friends of Dell School to know that there will be on the 13th of July a reunion of the students an dteachers who have attended or worked in the school during the fourteen years of its history. The announcement of this event has been received with enthusiasm and it promises to be one of the most enjoyable occasions in the history of the school. The entire community will be glad to throw their doors wide open for the reception of those whom they have known as students.

The principal speaker of the occasion has not yet been secured. Much of the programme will be given over to those who have gone out from the school into the various walks of life. It will be a great thing to see on this occasion those whose lives Dell school has had a part in shaping.

In order to get in touch again with those who have gone out from Dell, each one will be asked to register, giving his or her name and address, with some other points of information.

Every one in reach of Dell who reads this is asked to co-operate in making this occasion a success by helping to provide dinner and by furnishing entertainment for as many as possible.

Let every former student and friend assist in spreading the news of this event. It is impossible to write to every one, for the address of many has changed, and even the names of some! Write to those you think have not learned about it and help in every way in making it generally known.

Special efforts will be made to get every teacher of Dell school during the 14 years of its history to be present. The trustees and friends of the school are invited to come.

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APPROACHING MARRIAGE OF LAURINBURG YOUNG PEOPLE

Laurinburg, N. C., June 3.—One of the prettiest parties of the season was given last Saturday morning by Mrs. James A. Jones, when she announced the approaching marriage of her sister, Miss Ina McNair to Mr. George F. Avinger, the wedding to take place June 28.

Mrs. Jones with her accustomed ease and grace, met the guests as they arrived, and directed them to rear of the hall, where refreshing punch was served by Mrs. James L. McNair and Miss Emma Ritch.

The beautiful home, which lends itself perfectly to entertaining, was lovely in the use of ferns, sweet peas, poppies and carnations, pink being the color note of Mrs. Jones' entertainment.

After all had assembled, beautiful hand-painted score cards were passed, and partners matched for progressive rook. The pleasure of the games was enlivened by the strains of sweet music from the victrola. Miss Minnie Smith made the highest score and was awarded the prize, a pretty piece of handwork. The consolation prize, a picture, was won by Miss Bettie McDougald.

Mrs. Jones, assisted by Mrs. James L. McNair and Miss Ritch, served a delicious ice course, which also carried out the color scheme, the cream being moulded to represent a pink rose. This was followed by coffee.

The climax of the occasion was reached when little Miss Elizabeth McNair and Master Herbert Jones, brought in trays of tiny boxes containing pink and white mints. To each box was tied a dainty pink and white heart, and when unfolded, disclosed Cupid's secret: "I. MacN.—G. F. A., June 28."

During the remainder of the hour many good wishes were showered upon the happy bride-to-be.

The announcement of the engagement of this popular young couple is one of much interest to the social circles in Laurinburg and Scotland county.

Miss MacNair is the youngest daughter of Mr. John F. McNair, is a young woman of many accomplishments and is deservedly popular throughout the State.

Mr. Avinger is one of the most successful young business men of Laurinburg and holds the responsible position of secretary and general manager of the Scotland, Dixon and Waverly cotton mills.

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MANY SOCIAL AFFAIRS THE PAST WEEK IN GREENSBORO

Greensboro, N. C., June 3.—Mrs. Katherine Palmer and daughter, Katherine, have gone to Washington where they will spend a few days with Mrs. Palmer's father, Congressman Charles M. Stedman, and from there will go to Massachusetts to spend a large part of the summer.

Mrs. Parran Jarboe gave a delightful bridge party Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Ernest Elder, of Clarksville, Tennessee, who is the guest of Mrs. W. B. Vaught.

Miss Mary Chappell was the hostess Tuesday evening to a number of friends at her home. Cards were played, and an ice course was served.

Mrs. A. L. Brooks was at home Tuesday afternoon at her nome in Irving Park with a delightful tea in honor of her sister, Mrs. Harrison Higbee, of Newark, N. J., who is her house guest. The magnificent home was prettily decorated with pink roses and sweet peas and the affair was one of the most elaborate of the season.

Mrs. J. L. Armfield entertained at her home on North Park Drive Wednesday morning, complimentary to Mrs. Ernest Elder, of Clarksville, Tenn.

Mrs. Bennett Young and daughter, Miss Annie, of Baltimore, were guests this week of Mrs. Thos. J. Murphy. They were returning home from Birmingham, where Miss Young was sponsor for her State at the reunion of Confederate veterans.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Roberson and Mr. and Mrs. Roland G. Hill were hosts Monday evening at a pleasant dance at the Country Club. An excellent orchestra furnished music, and ices were served.

A weekly dinner dance of the Country Club was held Friday evening, and was largely attended. Music was furnished by Hood's orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Meyer left Sunday for Deal Beach, N. J., going by automobile. They went to attend the marriage this week of Mr. Meyer's niece, Miss Done Meyer, to Mr. Louis J. Dannebaum, of Philadelphia.

Miss Katherine Keith charmingly entertained the K. D. K. Club Saturday afternoon at her home on Summit avenue.

Miss Mildred Stafford entertained the Gamma Tau Club Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Caesar Cone and family have gone to their summer home at Lake Pleasant, N. Y., where they will spend three months. They made the trip in automobiles.

The Entre Nous Bridge Club was entertained Thursday afternoon by Miss Gena Adams. The house guests of Miss Adams and Miss Gretchen Taylor were the honor guests.

Mrs. Fielding Fry was hostess to the Bachelor Belles Club at her home on Blandwood avenue, on Friday.

Mrs. Atwater entertained a few friends at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. B. Turrentine in honor of her niece, Miss Amy Bynum, of San Francisco.

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DELIGHTFUL MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER FOR BRIDE-ELECT

Warsaw, N. C., June 3.—The most important social event of the week was the delightful miscellaneous shower given by Mesdames John A. Ricks and Stanley Wall, and Misses Elizabeth Moore, Mankie Noble, Anna Pierce, Susie Faison and Helen Fonveille, at the home of Mrs. T. B. Pierce on Thursday afternoon from 5 to 7, to Miss Fannie Noel whose marriage to Mr. John A. Bannerman, of Burgaw, will take place in June.

The room was beautifully decorated throughout. In the large reception hall and parlor white and green were the colors used, being effected by means of white wedding bells, southern smilax and white canterbury bells and sweet peas, these being used extensively around doors, windows and festooned from the ceiling, from which also in all the rooms, china cupids were suspended. Receiving at the front door were Mrs. H. Faison Pierce, gowned in light blue taffeta, and Mrs. Edward Gibson, of Charleston, S. C., gowned in rose silk net over messaline. Mrs. John Ricks, gowned in flowered silk crepe, conducted the guests to the receiving line composed of Mesdames J. R. Bannerman, of Burgaw, in black charmeuse and Mrs. D. F. Herring, of Burgaw, in navy taffeta; Miss Anna Pierce in rainbow chiffon over taffeta; Miss Susie Faison in white net, green trimmings, and Miss Noel in lavender crepe de chine, and Miss Laura M. Faison in white crepe. Misses Moore and Noble in lingerie gowns, received in the living room where a color scheme of red and green was effected by means of carnations, strings of red hearts and potted plants.

Little Misses Sallie Faison and Lois Best in pink and white, handed heart shaped cards on which the guests were asked to write toasts to the bride, Mrs. J. C. Robinson, of Chester, S. C., and Miss Margaret Kennedy cutting for the prize which Mrs. W. L. Hill presented to Mrs. Robinson.

Misses Helen Fonveille in pink georgette crepe and Miss Lou Mitchell Faison in pink taffeta, had charge of the bride's book in which the guests were registered.

A flower contest was engaged in, in which Mrs. C. A. Womack received the first prize, a beautifully bound wedding book, which she presented to the honoree. Miss Elizabeth Moore received the booby, a kewpie doll.

Miss Noel was given a plate, containing a large china cupid and a note telling her to look where the arrow pointed, and as the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march burst from the Victrola Little Miss Dorothy Wall and Master George Harriss Ricks, both in white, threw open the folding doors to the dining room, where pink roses and smilax formed an artistic decoration.

Seated in the center of the table which was literally groaning with a load of gifts in china, linen, cut glass, and silver, while wicker baskets held dainty handkerchiefs and silk hose, was little Louise Wall as cupid, holding a white bo wand arrow.

Misses Olivia, Martha, Llewellyn, Best and Brookie Hines served a delicious ice course in pink and white, miniature cupids being favors.

CHRISTIAN HEADQUARTERS

Central Building May Be Provided in New York.

(Springfield Republican.)

Four organizations, two of them national, have named committees to canvass the question of a headquarters building in New York to house all Christian purposes a great hall for use of the organization meetings and for conventions. The Federal council of churches, the missionary education movement, the Baptist and the Reformed official agencies are the four, but Episcopal, Congregational and Disciples of Christ men are taking part in the movement. The purpose is said not to be to disturb denominational headquarters such as Episcopal, Presbyterian an dMethodist bodies maintain, but to house others not now provided for.

John R. Mott led a plan two years ago to bring all foreign missionary agencies in New York together, including societies in Boston, and Philadelphia having branch headquarters in New York and John D. Rockefeller is said to have financed the plan at annual rental of $25,000. Now the larger plan contemplates home missions and Christian education, numbering probably 100 separate organizations. The northward trend in New York is shown by the decision of these committees to locate north of the Grand Central Station, although at present most organizations naming committees are at Madison Square or south, of it. Plans as far as made call for offices for the organizations, a great hall, a library, clubrooms for men's societies and if any space remains, a hotel. There are some plans for a summer auditorium for use in July and August when many churches are losed or in charge of assistant ministers only. The Lutheran and Congregational anniversaries of 1917 and 1920 are closed or in charge of assistant min SEE LINE OUT

GLACIERS FORM RIVERS.

Twenty Streams Flow From Rugged Mount Ranier.

(J. G. McCurdy, in St. Nicholas.)

Some rivers are formed by a rather slow process. Fed by springs or small ponds, they issue forth as mere rivulets to be reinforced by other streams until they have reached a size that entitles them to be termed rivers. Some, like the St. Lawrence, having their source in some extensive lake, pass through no intermediate state, but proceed as full-fledged rivers directly upon their course to the sea.

Others emerge with a rush and roar from the heart of glaciers located far up on the sides of lofty mountains. The waters of these glacier-born rivers are not crystal clear, as many suppose, but are milky white, due to the lava dust and powdered scoria contained in the ice mass. This color the water retains for miles as they flow through the lowlands, proclaiming their parentage to the observant eye.

Frome the rugged sides of Mount Ranier, which rises to a height of over 14,000 feet, and which John Muir declares America's noblest mountain, 20 glaciers radiate like the arms of a gigantic star fish. From each of these springs a river.

The great Nisqually Glacier, one of the largest on the mountain, rears its "snout" or lower end within a few hundred yards of the automobile road which ascends the mountain to an altitude of 6,000 feet.

STATE AND CONGRESSIONAL VOTE IN YESTERDAY'S PRIMARY ELECTION

OFFICES:	Govern'r		Secretary of State			State Treas.		Attorney General				Comr. Labor		Corp. Comr.		Agr. Comr.			Ins. Comr.		Judge 8th Dist.		Congress Sixth District					Scat-tering
CANDIDATE:	Bickett	Daughtridge	Clark	Grimes	Hartness	Lacy	Mann	Calvert	Jones	Manning	Sinclair	Dellinger	Shipman	Boyd	Lee	Graham	Hobbs	McKinnon	McGlenaghan	Young	Stacy	Ricaud	Young	Brown	Godwin	Little	Nimocks	
First Ward	70	163	214	42	2	165	52	10	22	91	70	52	121	62	120	68	27	94	38	153	188	76	1	57	145	88	4	
Second Ward																												
Third Ward	125	248	316	59	6	267	79	16	37	153	107	71	219	78	210	109	19	191	67	264	294	98	6	61	201	121	6	
Fourth Ward																							4	54	121	130	3	
Fifth Ward—1st Pre.	94	153	200	41	12	159	52	9	40	71	70	48	128	67	101	90	11	100	56	155	212	78	0	29	140	120	11	
Fifth Ward—2nd Pre.																							6	19	136	40	0	
Sixth Ward	67	168	192	94	4	161	42	6	23	116	51	30	149	82	93	101	8	75	35	162	218	29	1	60	80	99	2	
Cape Fear Precinct																							3	18	29	24	2	
7-Mile Post Precinct																												
Masonboro Precinct	24	42	57	7	0	34	7	17	3	14	11	12	21	9	26	36	1	11	11	35	42	47	3	8	25	47	2	
Federal Point Precinct	1	26	4	18	4	21	3	1	0	5	8	4	9	16	4	10	2	7	1	20	19	9	0	1	13	13	0	
Winter Park Precinct	35	68	74	30	2	75	22	4	6	31	51	21	65	23	60	49	3	51	26	68	90	24	1	39	45	26	4	
Seagate Precinct	12	35	35	10	1	31	5	3	2	14	11	5	18	10	14	9	2	21	6	24	45	17	0	10	45	10	0	
Total	448	903	1092	301	31	913	262	66	133	495	379	243	730	347	628	472	73	551	240	881	1108	378	25	355	980	718	34	

COUNTY VOTE AS CAST IN YESTERDAY'S PRIMARY ELECTION

OFFICES:	House of Rep.		Deed Reg.	Sheriff					Recorder				County Solicitor				County Commissioner						Constable Wil. Township					Scattering
CANDIDATE:	Bellamy	Grant	Haar	Cowan	Fergus	Fennell	Jackson	Watters	Emple	Furlong	Head	Harris	Burgwin	Burton	Jones	Peachau	Hewlett	Merbst	McGirt	Worth	Wright	Yopp	Capps	Davis	Kunold	Piver	Watson	
First Ward	95	197	....	102	27	27	77	35	73	75	77	72	25	90	128	48	....	....	....	....	....	....	23	170	19	20	18	....
Second Ward	278	243	464	212	64	31	112	112	181	92	126	126	78	140	120	184	253	122	396	279	35	356	56	224	38	31	135	....
Third Ward																												
Fourth Ward	198	109	....	123	33	6	71	75	133	43	54	78	65	78	47	120	151	84	237	159	0	211	....	....	....	....	....	....
Fifth Ward—1st Pre.	98	237	....	107	97	7	114	21	83	79	82	95	46	147	79	63	154	81	196	145	17	265	82	164	16	34	19	....
Fifth Ward—2nd Pre.	77	124	....	90	42	....	61	22	59	56	51	49	26	93	47	44	126	34	106	89	14	168	....	....	....	....	....	....
Sixth Ward	149	97	213	88	30	8	96	29	64	44	82	53	69	84	31	62	125	37	173	101	35	207	21	167	10	15	13	174
Cape Fear Precinct	17	60	69	38	18	4	10	10	12	7	10	49	8	26	9	33	49	22	56	14	4	65	....	....	....	....	....	....
7-Mile Post Precinct																												
Masonboro Precinct	14	78	79	25	38	0	21	9	39	8	11	33	4	20	27	38	84	21	41	34	4	76	....	....	....	....	....	78
Federal Point Precinct	12	16	25	8	8	0	2	1	12	3	3	11	5	4	0	19	15	6	27	9	0	28	....	....	....	....	....	26
Winter Park Precinct	45	79	105	24	8	1	82	7	36	0	28	47	6	48	9	53	88	23	92	37	8	86	....	....	....	....	....	111
Seagate Precinct	21	46	50	34	10	0	19	6	28	2	7	30	3	8	5	48	47	10	40	18	10	54	....	....	....	....	....	43
Total	1004	286	1005	851	375	84	665	331	720	409	531	643	335	738	502	712	1092	440	1364	885	127	1516	182	725	83	100	285	432

RETURNS INDICATE VICTORY FOR BICKETT BY LARGE MAJORITY

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jority 7,000 votes. Complete reports cannot be obtained on account of the severe electrical storm of the afternoon putting the telephones out of commission in the rural districts. Complete returns in hand from Kitchin's home county of Halifax indicates tht Cling Mitchell received but 58 votes of the 2,069 that was polled. Following close in the wake of Halifax comes a majority of 1,300 from Edgecombe county while Wilson county, thought to be a stamping ground for the opposition to the Majority Leader gives Kitchin 993 votes, while Mitchell receives 459. This is for all save one precinct in Wilson county.

DAUGHTRIDGE CARRIES COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND BY 500 VOTES

Fayetteville, N. C., June 3. — Official returns from 15 of 21 precincts give Daughtridge 833 and Bickett 492; majority for Daughtridge, 341. His majority will reach 400. These precincts indicate that Nimocks on the congressional ticket, will carry the county by 500, and Sinclair, for attorney general, will have an overwhelming majority of at least 1,000. Grimes, Lacy, Shipman, Lee, Graham and J. R. Young have undoubtedly carried the county.

ROBINSON RUNNING HEAD FOR CONGRESS IN SEVENTH

Wadesboro, N. C., June 3.—Returns from Anson, Richmond, Davidson, Lee, Scotland, Randolph and Union, give Robinson a majority of 730. Heavy rain here cut vote four hundred. Bickett's majority in five precincts 700. Present incumbents of State offices get decided minorities in this county.

Daughtridge Carries Nash.

Rocky Mount, N. C., June 3.—With all precincts heard from save two isolated districts, Nash county gives Daughtridge an official vote of 855. Bickett gets vote of 867. With returns coming in very slowly in Edgecombe, the indications are that Daughtridge gets 800 majority with 3 of the 14 precincts yet to report.

BICKETT, SINCLAIR, McKINNON HAVE SWEPT ROBESON COUNTY

Lumberton, N. C., June 3.—Bickett seems to have swept the county. Sinclair, for attorney general, and McKinnon, for commissioner of agriculture, also made clean sweeps. G. B. Sellers and J. S. Oliver are the nominees for the house. Old county officers and commissioners again successful.

BICKETT GIVEN ABOUT 60 PER CENT IN BEAUFORT COUNTY

Washington, N. C., June 3. — Total vote, State ticket, about 600; very light. Bickett was given 60 per cent; Grimes 95 per cent; Mann 75 per cent; Shipman 95 per cent; Young 55 per cent; Graham, 50 per cent, McKinnon, 45 per cent; Hobbs, 5 per cent; Manning 80 per cent.

L. C. Warren, Beaufort county, and Davenport, Washington county, win, for State senators.

DAUGHTRIDGE GETS LARGE MAJORITY IN HOME COUNTY

Tarboro, N. C., June 3. — With two small precincts to hear from, Edgecombe's vote is as follows: Daughtridge, 1,144; Bickett, 354; Grimes, 753; Hartness, 31; Clark, 705; Mann, 768; Lacy, 871; Jones, 189; Manning, 1,058; Sinclair, 45; Calvert, 126; Dellinger, 498; Shipman, 904; Boyd, 128; Lee, 1,281; Hobbs, 42; McKinnon, 882; Graham, 506; Young, 1,271; McClenaghan, 163.

BICKETT, GRIMES, MANNING, LEAD IN GILFORD COUNTY

Greensboro, N. C., June 3. — Guilford county—18 precincts out of 33 give: Bickett, 835; Daughtridge, 663; Hartness, 476; Grimes, 928; Clark, 55; Calvert, 141; Manning, 545; Sinclair, 212; Jones, 16; McKinnon, 245; Graham, 670; Hobbs, 63; Lacy, Shipman, Lee and Young are away ahead. Only county contests are for lower House of General Assembly and coroner. C. G. Wright, Carter Dalton and W. A. Bowman nominated for Legislature.

DAUGHTRIDGE CARRIES LENOIR.

Kinston, N. C., June 3. — Eight out of 13 Lenoir county precincts give Daughtridge a majority of about 250. Bickett men concede the county to the former.

—Carl Nelms, was arrested yesterday morning by Officer Leon George on the charge of disorderly conduct.

Concerts at Lumina Today.

Don Richardson's orchestra, 3:30 to 5:30. (Advertisement).

SECOND PRIMARY IN 6TH DISTRICT SEEMS NECESSARY

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Godwin 90, Nimocks 30, Little 14, Brown 3.

Town Creek township gives: Nimocks 4, Brown 2, Godwin 43, Little 18.

Godwin Strong in Cumberland.

Fayetteville, N. C., June 3.—Six precincts in Cumberland give Nimocks 237; Godwin 171, Brown 15, Young 5, Little 4.

For attorney general, Sinclair 263, Manning 7, Calvert 4, Jones 1.

Elizabethtown's Vote.

Elizabethtown, N. C., June 3.—Elizabethtown votes Godwin 101, Nimocks 52, Little 4, Brown 2, Young 1.

Brown Leads at Fairmont.

Fairmont, N. C., June 3.—Returns from two townships, Fairmont and Thompson, on Congressional race: Brown 117; Godwin 98; Nimocks 58; Little 31; Young 1.

Godwin Leading in Robeson.

Lumberton, June 3.—Four precincts in Robeson give, for Congressional candidates: Little 24, Nimocks 23, Young 12, Brown 58, Godwin 78. Three precincts give for Governor: Daughtridge 34, Bickett 112.

In Manchester Township.

Fayetteville, N. C., June 3.—Manchester township, first Cumberland county precinct to report, gives Godwin 11, Nimocks 24, Manning 3, Sinclair 31. First Fayetteville precinct to report gives Godwin 81, Nimocks 160, Young 4, Brown 12, Little 3.

HEAVY SHOWER FELL.

Last Night and Was Accompanied by Thunder and Lightning.

The dry spell which has prevaailed for the past few days, was broken last night by a heavy thunder shower which broke over the city about 10:30 o'clock last night.

As forecasted by the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, the downpour was accompanied by thunder and a lively electrical display in the way of lightning. Fair weather and sunny skies are predicted for today.

EVERGREEN TREE LEAF OIL

Shoe blacking owes its peculiar aromatic odor, faintly suggestive of the deep woods where spruce or hemlock needles pad the ground, to an oil which is manufactured from these same kinds of needles. Similar oils are obtained from the foliage and small twigs of various cone-bearing trees, and find use for a number of purposes. In Europe the finer of these oils are used extensively as perfume in soap. They are common components of liniments and other medicinal preparations. Cedar oil is chiefly used in the preparation of insecticides, and, to some extent, in making liniment.

Investigations of the yield and the value of the oil obtainable from some of our Southern and Western trees have been made by the forest service, partly with a view to the possible utilization of waste material left after lumbering in the National forests. In these investigations, longleaf and Western yellow pine leaves produced the most promising results, but the needle oils obtained from these pines did not surpass the already firmly established spruce and hemlock oils. The large quantities of needles and twigs on forest service timber sale areas are not only a sheer waste, but also form a special fire hazard. An increased market for leaf oil would make possible the utilization of some of this waste material.

The industry, though small, is fairly old in the United States. The value of the annual production of needle oil is about $50,000. Black and white spruce and Eastern hemlock produce very similar oils, 40,000 to 50,000 pounds annually, worth 45 to 60 cents per pound. Red cedar produces 15,000 to 20,000 pounds of oil having the same value per pound as the spruce and hemlock oil. A few other species furnish the rest of the conifer-leaf oil produced in the United States. Besides the home product, small quantities of needle oil are imported from Europe. One of these, silver fir oil, brings four dollars a pound. In most cases these oils have a pleasant odor. A few are disagreeable when first distilled, but become pleasant with age.

The greater portion of the oil produced in the United States is distilled by small farmers in New England during the winter months when farm work is slack. In 1912, a Seattle firm began the distillation of leaf oil from the Western red cedar on a large scale, but found that at the going market value of 40 cents a pound the oil scarcely repaid the cost of production. It was chiefly used in manufacturing an insecticide containing 35 per cent of cedar oil and 65 per cent of an absorbent made from the finely ground shells of peach pits. Four dollars and a half to five dollars and a half per ton, depending on the oil content, was paid for the leaves and twigs.

A firm at Grant's Pass, Oregon, has patents covering methods and apparatus for utilizing Western yellow pine needles in the preparation of fibre after the oil is removed by distillation. Their plant consists of wooden tanks with steam connections with a daily capacity of 2,000 pounds of raw material from which ten pounds of oil are obtained, and, by suitable treatment, the spent needles produce a long tough fibre that can be woven into fabric or mixed with hair and made into mattresses.

The distillation process is very simple. Steam is passed through the needless, usually at atmospheric pressure. The oil volatilizes and the mixed vapors pass into a cooling apparatus where condensation takes place, leaving a layer of oil and a layer of water. Distillation by steam under pressure is more rapid and procuces more oil. Cutting the needles in small pieces before treatment increases the oil production. Young trees yield most. Trees growing in the open contain more oil than those in a dense stand. The winter and spring months are best for oil content.

AMONG THE MAGAZINES

JUNE ROSES.

Perhaps the strangest yet the most natural thing about human nature is the persistence of its humanness. Kingdoms rise and fall and civilizations flourish and decay, yet through countless generations of men and women, youth and faith and romance are as inevitably the possession of every separate life as are the good earth's perfumed woods and sunny skies a part of each returning spring.

Think now of how half of a world is rocking to its foundations under the tread of monster armies and the roar of monster guns, and yet, as this spring's sun has climbed higher and higher toward the blue zenith of its perennial dream, Italy's violets have once more breathed their old-time fragrance among the gleaming marbles of their ancient land. Along the beautiful streets of Paris, too, the great horse chestnuts have dropped their soft petals as gaily as above the heads of once unsorrowing crowds; the corn flower of the old Kaiser's love has made huge patches of fairy blue in war-saddened Germany's newly planted fields; and beside the lanes and hedgerows of England the primrose has bloomed as bravely as in the happier days of peace. Spring has come again to hearten the earth even in the face of war and bloodshed and battle and horror and death.

And now comes June, for all the war-wrecked world—June with her roses and her brides, myriads of roses circling the wide earth with all their magic of perfume and of color, and brides without number bringing once more to the old world's heart of hearts their messages of tenderness and hope.

Truly beauty and love and youth are eternal, and June is great Nature's yearly pledge of their immortality.—Anne Rankin, in June Southern Woman's.

Shallotte Defeats Town Creek.

The Shallotte baseball team defeated the Town Creek team at Town Creek yesterday afternoon by a score of 6 to 3. About 150 fans witnessed the game, which is the fifth of a series played between the two teams. Of the series so far Shallotte has won four out of the five games played. The next game will played next Saturday at Shallotte. The batteries for Shallotte were C. Swinson and W. Swinson; and for Town Creek, Yates and Ottaway.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my thanks and appreciation to each voter who yesterday supported me and to all my friends for their honest co-operation in my behalf.

Respectfully,

E. T. BURTON.

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THEY WORKED DAY AND NIGHT UP IN ROBESON

Some of the Candidates Had Some Real Friends Indeed.

Dr Vines to Preach in Revival at Baptist Church—Information Wanted as to Members of Company A.—Lumberton News.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Lumberton, N. C., June 3.—Today ends the agony of at least a number of politicians in this section. Some of them are tired and worn out, and some of them will not want to be seen for several days. It is hard to understand how people will go early and late, burning up great quantities of 26-cent gasoline, all for the love of their favorite candidate. Plenty of men are going day and night for politicians who would not think of giving a poor blind negro over five cents. But are they doing all this work just because they want to see their favorite win? Hundreds of people don't believe it—that money has changed hands, there is no doubt.

Thursday morning, Messrs. O. C. Norment, Joseph Prevatt, and The Star man went with Mr. J. A. Barker to his farm in Wishart's township, 11 miles from Lumberton on the old Whiteville road. In our childhood days the Whiteville road was considered a public road but it now seems in some places to have been left to work for itself. In some places the briars almost come together in the middle of the road. The automobile shields is all that saves the travelers from carrying marked faces. The people residing in that section ought to have roads or be relieved of taxes. Mr. Barker owns the Uriah Pitman homestead, composed of several hundred acres. Besides raising an abundance of farm products, Mr. Barker has cattle and hogs in large numbers, pastured on ranges where they require no feeding at all. The hogs have not had a grain of corn this year, and Mr. Barker says he only bought $10 worth of feed for his cattle during the past winter. He owns 1,000 or 1,200 acres of land in that section, hundreds of it never having been cleared. The Pitman home is the only building on that road between it and the court house, on the Whiteville road that has been standing since our earliest recollection without some changes. Some have disappeared, some have been remodeled, and some have been built. Crops in that section are looking well, the corn crop of Messrs. White & Gough, eight miles from town, being very fine.

A revival meeting to continue two weeks, will begin at the First Baptist church tomorrow, the pastor, Rev. C. L. Greaves, to be assisted by Dr. W. M. Vines, pastor of the First Baptist church of Charlotte.

Mr. Baker, of the Charlotte Observer, has been here this week in the interest of an agricultural issue of that paper which will be published late in the summer. Mr. Baker says he has traveled extensively but has found no farming section superior to Robeson county.

Information Wanted.

An interesting letter came to Lumberton this week from Corsicana, Tex., bearing date of May 23rd. It was addressed to Mr. "Chris" VonGlahn, Lumberton, N. C., care John Rowland. Col. John Rowland, father of the late Col. Alfred Rowland, died March 12, 1872, and Mr. VonGlahn, who married Col. Rowland's daughter, died December 31, 1879. The letter is as follows:

"Corsicana, Texas, May 23, 1916.

"Mr. C. VonGlahn,

"Lumberton, N. C.,

"Dear Sir and Friend:

"I will write you a few lines to see if I can hear from you or some one else of our Company (A). I have written to a number of the comrades and have failed so far to get a reply. If you can give me the addresses of some of the boys of your company (A) I will appreciate it very much.

"If you can, give me the address of Loy McFall, James Bracy, John Baker, Calhoun Patterson, George Vass. Thanking you in advance, and hoping you a long life and good health, I remain,

"Your comrade,

"W. A. M'LEAN."

Mr. R. D. Caldwell and family and his sister, Miss Lizzie Caldwell, left for the mountains the first of the week, traveling in an automobile.

Mr. Kilford Weir Boggs, of Clemson College, S. C., arrived this week to assume the duties of second trick operator at the Seaboard station, relieving Mr. Diggs, who holds the position of relief operator.

Flagman Jordan on a Seaboard local had a finger so badly mashed while closing a car door at Lowe Thursday, that he had to stop off here and have Dr. McPhaul, Seaboard surgeon, dress the wound.

Mr. F. C. Faulk, of the Lumberton Cotton Mills, had one of his hands severely injured one day this week, by being caught between a heavy piece of machinery and the brick wall.

Home grown vegetables are now becoming plentiful. Cabbages, turnips, beans and potatoes may be had fresh every day.

Archdeacon T. P. Noe, of Wilmington, will conduct services at the Episcopal church tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, and in the evening at 8 o'clock. Communion at morning services.

Mr. McLeod at Home.

Mr. George B. McLeod, who holds a government position, arrived yesterday to visit his family. He will return to Washington Monday.

The Pastime Theatre management promises to show one of the best five-reel pictures Tuesday night that has been seen here recently.

Gen. F. A. Bond, who with his family spends the summer at Fort Fisher, has been here this week looking after his farming interest.

Unless the signs fail votes have been bought and sold here during the past two days.

Nearly 100 quarts of liquor were in the express office yesterday, but none could be delivered from 6 o'clock yesterday evening until Monday morning. Just 49 quarts are on hand there today.

W. S. W.

HANDSOME PLEASURE BOAT

Being Built at Washington, N. C., For Edward Heard, of Boston

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, N. C., June 3.—A handsome pleasure boat being built here for Edward Heard, of Boston, will be launched next week. The craft will be christened the "Mamie." The vessel will be equipped with sails and a gasoline engine. It will be 60 feet long, nine feet in beam and draw six feet. The boat is one of the prettiest models ever constructed at a local yard. She will be sent to New England waters during the next few weeks, probably.

SEA-FOOD INDUSTRY IS BOOMING AT SOUTHPORT

Menhaden Fishing Season Also has Opened Up Well.

Sheepshead Now Abundant and Fishing is Good—Veterans' Ranks Thinning Fast—Coast Guardsmen Off Two Months.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Southport, N. C., June 3.—The weather during the past week has been the kind to make for the prosperity of this section—rains and warmth for crops and the rising temperature for the seafood products.

Crabs, the delight of many to eat, have been the bane of the local fishermen for weeks, cutting great pieces out of their nets, so reducing their catches to almost nothing, not to speak of the time and labor involved in net repairs, so that crabs have been the seafood of many families, in place of fish.

The menhaden fishing may now be said to be open. Thursday, the three boast of the Southport Fish Scrap & Oil Company, whose plant is below here, a couple of miles up the Elizabeth river, brought in nearly one thousand barrels, as a starter, with continued good results Friday. These fish are now of good size and yielding oil, a desirable product.

Sheepshead are now abundant, and lines can be seen hanging alongside of all the docks, while boats are seen tied to or anchored near wrecks in the river and outside. Those who enjoy fishing for the sheepshead can find what they want of the sport by a visit to this place.

A sad feature of Brunswick County Veterans' Day, observed here last Saturday, is the thinning out of the gray line each year. From the reports of these veterans, it is shown that the annual death rate has been a singular one, in that for the past five years the deaths have been uniform, ten passing away each year.

Wednesday last, at midnight, the men at the Coast Guard stations at Oak Island and Cape Fear, came off for an enforced absence of two months, without pay, or until 12:01 a. m. September 1. It had been hoped that National legislation would have abolished this laying off of these faithful public employes, who are helpless in the matter, but who at the time cannot engage in any pursuit for a livelihood during this lay off, being subject to any emergency call that may come from mariners in distress at sea. It is easy to see that this taking away of one-sixth of a year's pay cannot but work a hardship to every coast guardsman.

The return of the double daily steamer service of the Wilmington, scheduled to begin June 4, is welcomed by all who take the water route between the two cities, and thousands do, particularly during the summer months.

63 YEARS ON THE OCEAN

Capt. George G. Howard 75 Years Old and Still in "Harness"

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, N. C., June 3.—Seventy-five years old and still "in harness," Capt. George G. Howard, deep water sailor, has been 63 years on the ocean. He is a resident of Ocracoke, but is here visiting his son, former Chief of Police George H. Howard. Capt. Howard now commands the big schooner William T. Parker. He has roved the Atlantic as commander of many ships. He has had charge of seven during the past 15 years. In all his career he has never "lost a man," which is a record probably unequaled. On one voyage his ship lost her rudder, and Capt. Howard drove her 70 miles without it into Hampton Roads. He has lost three ships, was waterlogged once only 20 leagues off land and once was dismasted. Many trips the veteran skipper, who is hale and hearty even at his age, made out of this port in the days before the railroads drove out the scores of sail ships that used to have Washington for their home port. He is well known in Central and South American trade and in New York.

WHEN SCHOOLS WERE DANGEROUS

Indicated By Contents of Old Law Book Printed in 1828.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, N. C., June 3.—There has been discovered near here a copy of an old law book compiled by Judge Henry Potter, of the Federal district court of North Carolina, and printed at Raleigh in 1828, which contains information tending to convince a modern person that going to school and teaching school were dangerous businesses in that period. The following paragraph is said to be a verbatim copy of the law of Judge Potter's time:

"Where a schoolmaster in correcting his scholar, happens to occasion his death, if in such correction he is so barbarous as to exceed all bounds of moderation, he is at least guilty of manslaughter. And if he makes use of any instrument improper for correction, and apparently endangering the scholar's life, as an iron bar, a sword, or kick him to the ground and then stamp him, and kill him, he is guilty of murder."

HOPEWELL CASE CONTINUED

Defendant's Wife Unable to Attend Court as a Witness.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Newbern, N. C., June 3.—Owing to the fact that Mrs. Hannah Hopewell, wife of W. R. Hopewell, formerly of Bridgeton, who is charged with having poisoned his first wife, Mrs. Rachel Hopewell, was not able to come to Newbern from Richmond, Va., where she is now residing, this case, which was to have come up at the term of Craven Superior Court beginning Monday, has been continued until the September term of court.

Hopewell arrived in the city last night and brought along a physician's certificate to the effect that his wife's physical condition was such that it was impossible for her to travel.

Concerts at Lumina Today.

Don Richardson's orchestra, 3:30 to 8:30. (Advertisement).

CARD OF THANKS

The Wilmington Trades Council Committee on the Get-To-Gether edition of the Saturday Record, takes this opportunity to thank each and every one who contributed to it's success.

THE COMMITTEE.

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GET-TOGETHER MEETING OF MEN AT RED SPRINGS

Dr. Vardell Host to a Hundred Representative Citizens.

Marvelous Growth of Flora MacDonald College Reviewed and High Tribute Paid to President Vardell—Happy Occasion.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Red Springs, N. C., June 3.—One of the most pleasant events in the life of Red Springs was that last Tuesday evening from 8 to 12 o'clock, when Dr. C. G. Vardell, president of Flora MacDonald College entertained the business men of Red Springs with a most elaborate supper. There were 100 men who accepted Dr. Vardell's invitation. The meeting was somewhat in the nature of a Methodist love feast—to rejoice together over the good fortune that has recently come to the college.

The invocation was by Rev. H. M. Eure, pastor of the Methodist church, and the guests were the recipients of not only that Southern hospitality for which Dr. Vardell is famous, but before them was one of the most elegant spreads their eyes had ever beheld, consisting of the choicest and most palatable food the market affords.

Following the supper there was a round-table discussion. Mr. J. S. Jones acted as toastmaster and stated that the men had met to rejoice with Dr. Vardell that the institution over which he presides, which had a small beginning twenty years ago ,had been so signally blessed and was now recognized as being one of America's leading colleges for the education of women, having both a national and international reputation, an institution whose growth has been marvelous.

Mr. Jones asked Dr. Vardell to give some of the reasons which had led up to this development. Dr. Vardell began by giving a brief history of the incipiency of the institution, telling how that its beginning they had only one old wooden building with rooms inadequate to accommodate the girls of even that day and how that by the evolutionary process the school had grown with each passing year both in equipment and patronage. "The reason, briefly stated," said Dr. Vardell, "is because you people of Red Springs have stood by us; you have given us your money, your time and your influence, and the people abroad realizing your faith in your institution began to investigate our claims and they too became interested and gave to us substantial aid." Red Springs Seminary gave place to the Southern Presbyterian College and now this gives place to Flora MacDonald College, which is the full grown ear of corn, said Dr. Vardell. He paid beautiful tribute to some of the early benefactors of the institution who have now passed into the Great Beyond to sit at the feet of the Great Teacher. Among many others he referred to J. A. McKey, R. W. Livermore, Dr. W. H. McKinnon, Mark Morgan, Neill Brown and S. R. Townsend. Dr. Vardell told his audience what Red Springs had meant to the college and of the inspiration the home people gave him and his associates to undertaken even greater things

At the conclusion of Dr. Vardell's remarks, the toastmaster asked Mr. A. B Pearsall, a member of the board of trustees, to tell if the college has paid Red Springs as a financial institution. Mr. Pearsall began by saying that when the college began its career twenty years ago the site and plant was valued at $3,000. Now, said he, "we have a plant recently valued by an experi sent from another state by an insurance company, who after trimming everywhere and in many instances 50 per cent., tells us our plant is worth $160,000." The present indebtedness of the institution is $55,000, leaving a net surplus of $105,000, which is equal to a gain of $5,000 per year or 166 2-3 per cent each year on original investment. During its twenty years its tuition has amounted to $500,000 and the loss account is less than $10,000, which is the accumulation of twenty years, which is in round numbers 2 per cent on earnings. Mr. Pearsall asked the business men present if they knew of any business enterprise that could make a better showing.

Mr. Pearsall was followed by Major G. H. Hall, whose subject (his own selection) was "What the College has Meant to Red Springs." Major Hall contrasted the Red Springs of twenty years ago with the Red Springs of today, showing its rapid development along all lines—how nice brick churches and brick school buildings had taken the place of the old wooden structures, etc. He dwelt at length on the social advantages the town derives from its college. Referring to the marvelous growth of the college, Major Hall declared "its success and our success can be summed up in one word, 'Vardell.' This statement brought forth tremendous applause, thus showing that Major Hall had struck the keynote of what all present conceded to be the one great factor.

Others who spoke were Rev. Messrs. J. J. Hill and Alexander Miller and Messrs. J. H. McKay, Dr. Wallace, of Philadelphia, who explained why he sent his daughter to Flora MacDonald College and told of what people in the North think of the institution; Mr. G. T. Bullock, of Porto Rico, who brought a message of encouragement from the far off West Indies.

Hon. J. A. Brown, of Chadbourn, was then asked by the toast master to make some remarks. Mr. Brown in his own happy style paid a most beautiful tribute to Dr. Vardell, the "man of the hour," who is giving the world as asset more valuable than gold and silver, namely, an educated womanhood. Mr. Brown predicted that the recent beneficent gift of Dr. J. A. MacDonald, of Canada, given at the recent commencement, was only an index of greater things to follow.

Mr. Brown was followed by Rev. H. M. Dixon, "the modern Jeremiah," who spoke of the future Flora MacDonald College. Mr. Dixon in his mind's eye saw even better fire-proof buildings with thousands of girls from the United States and Canada and even the British Isles being trained at this great school of prophetesses, which institution sends out each year a graduating class mentally and morally strong.

Every speaker paid a glowing tribute to Dr. MacDonald, whom they declared was "the biggest man" that ever came this way, big in heart and big in mind, a great philanthropist who has begun a great work here whose fruits eternity alone will reveal. The mere mention of Dr. MacDonald's name would cause a storm of applause.

This was one of the greatest and most enthusiastic meetings of men ever held in Red Springs and showed to Dr. Vardell that he came first in the hearts and affections of the people, that they appreciated more than words can express his great labor of love for them, and while his hair is becoming silvery in the service to Red Springs, this town will in the future do even more than in the past.

Just before the meeting adjourned Dr. Vardell rose to his feet and with quivering lips said, "Men, this meeting tonight has given me new inspiration and new courage for the future and with a new determination I shall undertake even greater things for the future."

This meeting certainly meant much. It brought the college and town even closer together and showed the mutual interest of the two. The memory of the occasion will abide with those present forever.

Where Good Roads are Good.

A few days ago, in company with Mr. K. M. Barnes and daughters, Misses Gaynelle and Myrtle, and son, Horace, the writer visited "The Switzerland of North Carolina," which begins at Raeford, in Hoke county, and extends far beyond Carthage, in Moore county. This was Mr. Barnes' first trip across the country through this section and after viewing the beautiful natural scenery around Montrose, Aberdeen, Southern Pines, Pinehurst and Carthage and speeding over the good roads of Hoke and Moore counties, Mr. Barnes exclaimed that it was a true report he had heard about that country but the half had not been told. The trip was made in Mr. Barnes' Maxwell.

FRED BROWN.

DIPLOMAS PRESENTED TO 115 STUDENTS BY THE UNIVERSITY.

List of Those Receiving Degrees, Medals and Other Honors.

Chapel Hill, N. C., June 2.—Following is a list of students of the University who received diplomas, medals, prizes and fellowships at commencement this week:

The William Cain Prize in Mathematics: C. S. Harris.

The Eben Alexander Prize in Greek: J. M. Gwyn.

The Early English Text Society Prize: E. W. Turlington.

The Henry R. Bryan Prize in Law: R. H. Shuford.

Prizes in North Carolina Colonial History: First, S. J. Ervin, Jr.; second, F. H. Cooper.

The Callaghan Scholarship Prize in Law: E. G. Mick.

The De Doux Fellowship in Chemistry: J. W. Scott.

The W. J. Bryan Prize in Political Science: S. H. DeVault.

The Ben Smith Preston Cup: C. L. Snider.

The Freshman Prize in English: F. A. Clarvoe.

Short Story, F. A. Clarvoe.

The English Poetry Prize: Moses Rountree.

The Bingham Prize: C. B. Hyatt.

The Mangum Medal: W. B. Winstead.

The Bradham Prize: J. E. Turlington.

Elected to Membership in Phi Beta Kappa Society, 1916; C. C. Miller, E. L. Mackie, H. G. Batty, A. McC. Elliott, C. S. Harris, J. E. Harris, W. W. Kirk, A. M. Lindau, W. T. Polk, Oliver Rand.

Certificates were presented as follows:

French—Agnes Hyde Barton, Herschel Vespasian Johnson, William Barney Pitts.

German—Thomas Calvin Linn, Jr.

History—William Edward Pell, Samuel Clark Pike, William Bradley Umstead.

Then followed the conferring of degress as follows:

Bachelor of Arts—Joseph Henry Allred, Andrew Vance Anderson, Benjamin Franklin Auld, Herbert Victor Bailey, Hoke Barrymore Black, James Cornaro Blaine, Hubert Morse Blalock, Luther Avon Blue, Jr., Edwin Browning Borden, Jr., Francis Foster Bradshaw, Allen Thurman Castelloe, Francis Osborne Clarkson, William Borden Cobb, Frank Hodges Cooper, George Herman Cooper, Rush Floyd Crouse, Charles Rufus Daniel, Douglas Beaman Darden, Fred Hyams Deaton, Charles Nelson Dobbins, John Overton Dysart, Lee Henry Edwards, Graham Burwell Egerton, Leslie James Farmer, Walter Leon Goldston, Jr., Seddon Goode, Jr., James Archibald Hardison, Jr., Joseph Johnson Harris, James Leftwich Harrison, Emory Cline Herman, Hugh Bryan Hester, Samuel Huntington Hobbs, jr., Ernest Glen Hogan, Curtis Avent Holland, Robert Burton House, Hinton Gardner Hudson, Wade Russell Hunter, John Manning Huske, Herman Jernigan, Herschel Vespasian Johnson, John Haywood Jones, Edward Gray Joyner, John Archelaus Kent, William Wilson Kirk, McDaniel Lewis, Thomas Calvin Linn, Jr., Giles Mebane Long, Vann Ward McGhee, Luther Grier Marsh, Harry Miller, James Roy Moore, Carlyle Morris, Frank Wisconsin Norris, Robert Newton Page, Jr., John Mersel Parker, William Edward Pell, Samuel Clark Pike, William Barney Pitts, William Isaac Proctor, Marius Emmett Robinson, Jr., George Claiborne Royall, Jr. Beverly Sampson Royster, Jr., William Cevil Rymer, Jacob Philip Shrago, Norman Clifford Shuford, Roger Shore Siddall, Hubert McCree Smith, William Oliver Smith, Adam Treadwell Thorp, William Bradley Umstead, Eleanor Watson, Robert Henry Winborne Welch, Jr., Fred Phillips Wood.

Bachelors of Science in Chemical Engineering—Lucius Coleman Hall, Oscar Asa Pickett.

Bachelors of Science in Civil Engineering—Clyde Lathrop Fore, Roy McRae Homewood, Hazel Patterson.

Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering—Floyd Howard Elsom, William Henry Joyner, George Wallace Smith, William Capehart Walke, Marshall McDairmid Williams, Jr.

Bacheiors of Science in Medicine—James Gillespie Dickson, William Henry Harrell, Julian Alison Moore, Daniel Reyner, John Moorhaj Tamraz.

Bachelors of Laws—Benjamin Franklin Aycock, Marvin Key Blount, Paris Cleveland Gardner, Julian Gilliam Hart, Oscar Leach, Ernest Grant Mick, Walter Bryan Rouse, Richard Harvey Shuford, Henry Clay Turner.

Bachelor of Arts and Laws—Alman Byron Butler, Clarence Mason Miller, Roger Derrick Sanford, Jessie Eli Turlington, William Winston Wiggins.

Doctor of Pharmacy—Arthur Levi Fishel.

Masters of Arts—Hubert Walter Collins, Martin Jones Davis, Walter Leon Goldston, Jr., Seddon Goode, Jr., James Cuningham Harper, Edgar Long, John Riley Masterson, Walter Patten.

Master of Science—Edward Yates Keesler.

Doctors of Philosophy—Carnie Blake Carter, Victor Aldine Coulter.

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(Special Star Telegram.)

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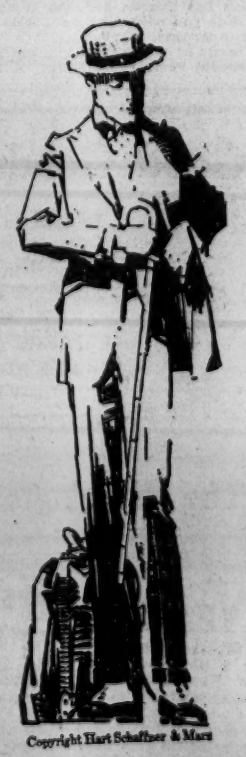

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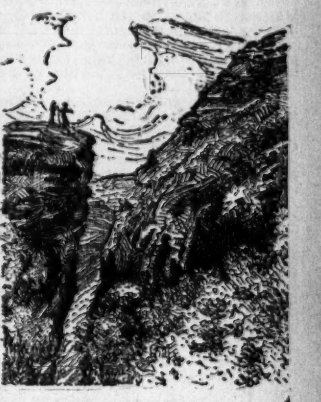

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GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE WILMINGTON SCHOOLS DURING THE PAST SIX YEARS

Text of Address of Chairman J. O. Carr, of the New Hanover Board of Education, at the Graduating Exercises of the Wilmington High School on the Evening of May 26th.

The development and operation of the public school system of Wilmington and New Hanover county during the past six years and a frank consideration of some of the problems that must be solved in the future was the theme of the address of Chairman J. O. Carr, of the New Hanover Board of Education, at the recent graduation exercises of the Wilmington High school which were held in the Academy of Music on the evening of May 26. Chairman Carr's address will be of interest to the general public as he gave a very frank and explicit statement of what has been accomplished an dpointed out clearly the difficulties that must be overcome if continued progress is to be made. The text of his address follows:

Mr. Superintendent, Ladies and Gentlemen:

The purposes of my speaking to you tonight is not to deliver the annual address to the graduating class according to the usual acceptation of the term; but the school authorities have for some time thought it advisable to give the public a statement of the development and operations of our school system during the past six years, and it was decided that we should avail ourselves of this opportunity to do so. We feel that we should take the public into our confidence, as it were, and speak plainly to them, not that we may instruct them, as to the school system, but that we may report to them an account of our stewardship. In doing this, we will do it frankly, regardless of the views that may be had of our work.

We are now going through a revolution in the school system of New Hanover county, a revolution which seems to import better school facilities and even a better support of the school system; but revolutions of any kind are always dangerous, because we do not know what the end will be.

The construction and equipment of new buildings have impressed the community with an idea of what it should have. Until we have had new things we do not know their value and the result of a well equipped school system is the demand for many new subjects and many new enterprises be added to the system, without the slightest idea or consideration as to where the money is coming from to support the new courses of study and new enterprises.

Demands For More Service

There are continuous demands by the public for additional service from our schools, all of which are worthy; but what we shall teach in the public schools of New Hanover county is circumscribed by the revenues at our command. Our entire school fund goes to the payment of teachers and principals, and to repairs and necessary supplies, and none of it is exhausted in salaries of committeemen or other officials. Therefore, there is no such thing as economizing without reducing teachers' salaries, or shortening the school term, and it necessarily follows that every new subject added to the school curriculum, or every new undertaking adopted, is done at the sacrifice of the present course of study.

It is persistently urged that school physicians and nurses are necessary for the better care and protection of the children. No one doubts the humanity or wisdom of the suggestion, but to supply this attention to one pupil means to supply it to five thousand pupils, and to do this would cost not less than $4,000 per year, which, alone, would shorten the school term more than two weeks.

It is urged repeatedly that domestic science be placed in certain of the schools, and patriotic citizens have offered their liberal assistance in helping to install it in all the schools in the city, white and colored, as well as in the country schools, because we are not justified in giving to one child an advantage which is denied another. Such a system cannot be maintained, even in the five grammar schools alone, for less than $5,000 per year, which, in itself, would reduce the school term approximately three weeks. We have, therefore, confined it to the High school for the white, and the Williston Industrial school for the colored children, the benefits of which are extended to all the school children of the county of New Hanover.

There are those who believe that the teaching of drawing and art in public schools would be of great value to the students. It is admitted that no training would be more valuable. To begin this with one teacher for five thousand pupils in New Hanover county would mean absolute failure; to even give each school an art teacher would only to a limited extent, supply the instruction necessary. This alone would cost approximately $4,000 per year and would reduce the school term more than two weeks.

We are urged, from all corners, to institute vocational and manual training in the grammar schools of New Hanover county, but in this matter we are confronted with even a more serious proposition, because of the fact that to do this effectively and efficiently would be more expensive than any of the other matters suggested; and further than this, it is demonstrated beyond any controversy where these matters have been tested out, that there is great waste of time and effort on the part of the children to install such training in the elementary courses, and especially in the first and eighth grades, because during that period it is absolutely necessary for the child's mind to be confined largely to the elementary subjects of education. This question of vocational training is unquestionably the most important that confronts us; but it should begin and end in the High school, where every child who has reached the proper stage of development will have the opportunity to take advantage of a thorough system rather than to waste time earlier in life in an imperfect attempt to teach those subjects to a mind not sufficiently developed to digest them. The work should be done not as a fad, but efficiently and economically.

There are those who feel, and insist, that the time has come when music should be taught to all the children. Of course this is a subject that we can have little or, or much of, without hurt, and a little is better than none. But even here, we are again confronted with the proposition that if given to one child, it must be given to all the children of the county, if they desire it, and to even meet the demands of the public, if we install this course means a shortening of the school term proportionally to the amount invested for this purpose.

While those citizens who advocate one of these studies are not advocating all of them, you must remember that those who are advocating the one which may seem useless to you are just as interested as you are, and as tax payers have the same rights in the matter, and are entitled to the same consideration.

Night schools have become a very pressing need, and it would seem that the time has passed when these can no longer be neglected even at the cost of shortening the school term. Our recent census indicates a large number of boys and girls throughout the city of Wilmington, between 12 and 21 years of age, who are compelled by reason of family necessities, to work for a living; and their opportunities to earn a living are presented during the day and not at night. This necessitates their stopping school at an early age and going out into the world to earn a living only partially equipped to do so. There is but one way to reach this large element of our citizenship and to give them the benefits of the public school system to which they are justly entitled. We have card indexes of all the children in the county of New Hanover and know their needs; and we are making an effort to give to every boy and girl in New Hanover county the advantages of the public school system, and if there are those who are so unfortunately situated as to be unable to take advantage of the schools during the regular hours, it seems to us we should attempt, in some way, to reach them, even at the sacrifice of the length of the school term.

Free School Books

The question of free school books has become a public issue, and sooner or later it will have to be met. This, the county board of education has no control of, nor has it any authority to expend for free school books the money derived from the taxes as now levied, any more than it has the right to expend it for free shoes, which, at certain times of the year, are as necessary to equip the child for school as school books. If the board of education should be invested with power to provide these books out of the funds now at its command, it would cost approximately $10,000 per year for the first year, with possibly a reduction of this amount for the first two or three years thereafter, and then a gradual increase in expense from year to year. This is because the entire purchase would have to be made the first year and second-hand books would be used after that time; but as the number of children increases there will be a gradual increase in this expense. If this should be taken from the school fund as now constituted, it would reduce the term approximately six weeks. Therefore, the question of giving free school books involves a special property tax and poll tax to be voted by the public for this purpose, and this is a matter entirely for the public to determine. The school authorities are favorable to any move which will better the school system and extend its benefits to a greater number of children, but we believe that before matters of this kind are adopted, they should be thoroughly investigated, and not adopted blindly, because undertakings of this kind involve a large expenditure of money, which, if improperly expended, is wasted. A thing will often succeed in one community while the same thing will fail in another. The free book proposition has worked well in some communities and has failed completely in others, and in entering upon an undertaking of this kind all questions involved should be duly considered. Every city goes through a period when its citizens demand municipally supplied water and sewerage, and every city, sooner or later, gets it; but municipally supplied water and sewerage always proves more expensive, though possibly more beneficial. Free school books will no doubt eventually come; in some communities they will remain and prove satisfactory; in others they will prove unsatisfactory and will go. Where they prove a failure their course will be about as follows: Large amounts of money are first voted for free school books; for the first year the new books are a joy and a delight, but during the second year second hand book used by another child is not attractive, a child contracts an infectious disease and dies; experts trace the germs to school books, in which there is the name of a child who previously had the same disease; those who are able to buy books begin to abandon the second hand books and buy their own books; the Board of Health comes along and sees no reason why the more unfortunate children should be subjected to these diseases and condemns the entire proposition. There is no germ carrier like a book, because concealed in its inner pages the germ cannot be eradicated by fumigation. You may burn it and take it from the ashe sand read its contents.

In Wilmington we have a large population that it is our sworn duty to educate. I refer to the colored race. The State cannot discriminate between race or between those who are able to pay and those who are not able to pay in distributing public benefits. It cannot collect $100.00 taxes from one man and deny him the benefits derived from his contribution to the public welfare; nor, on the other hand, can it deny to the unfortunate man his full share of the public benefits because of his inability to contribute thereto, and it is a vital question in determining this matter whether the burdens to be undertaken by those demanding this reform are not even greater on them than the benefits to be derived from it. But it is so vital a matter that it should not be dismissed as a fad proposed by a fanatic, nor should it be adopted except after the most careful and conservative consideration by the public, as to the benefits to be derived from it. We should not adopt it because it has succeeded elsewhere, nor ignore it because it has failed elsewhere. The question should be determined only after a comparison of our conditions with those existing where free text books have been tried, and a thorough investigation should be made by those favorable to the proposition.

On the whole, the demands which are continuously made for additional service from the school service are sufficient in themselves to wipe out of existence the entire school term, and the school authorities, as now constituted, believe that, with the funds at their command, there is nothing that is more calculated to cripple the school system and destroy the fundamentals of citizenship in New Hanover county than to impair the training of the child during the first eight years of his education; and we believe that it would be a sad day for Wilmington when the public decides that it will substitute for this early and thorough training these new subjects which are so frequently demanded; but these subjects should be installed in the public school system if the public sees fit to provide the necessary funds for them.

Change in Text Books.

There is much complaint among the patrons of the public schools, not only in New Hanover county, but throughout the State, with reference to the change in school books whereby children are required to abandon a book already purchased and buy a new one. This matter is not controlled locally, but by the Text Book Commission of the State of North Carolina. It is regretted that such changes have to be made; but as a matter of fact, books are adopted only once every five years, and the text book commission no doubt has the best interest of the child at heart, and it is doubtful that they make any changes that ought not to be made. Text books were adopted five years ago and if the Text Book Commission, which will adopt the text books this year, should elect to adopt the same books which were written five years ago in all instances, your child will be taught incorrectly. The country's history and geography may change in five years. The text book in history and geography which does not take into consideration the present European war and all its incidental effects on this country, would omit the most vital facts of a generation. When I was a boy I studied a treatise on physics which taught that electricity could never be used successfully for heavy motive power, and no up-to-date book could teach this today. In fact, such rapid changes are being made in electricity and all branches of science, as well as in the history, geography and commercial developments of our country, that a text book which fails to keep up with them is almost worthless, and with these rapid changes we find that mathematics is about the only course of instruction that is not changing and the methods of application of mathematics are so varied on account of changed commercial conditions, that it is necessary from year to year to approach even mathematical questions from a different point of view in order to enlist the child's interest. No child whose time is worth anything can afford to use today a text book which is ten years old; and if you attempt it, you will likely find that your child is being outstripped by your neighbor's child, who is using an up-to-date text book. These changes in text books cannot be avoided any more than changes in business methods can be avoided, or changes in farming methods. In fact, I have known people of reasonable intelligence and at least average standing in a community, to change the cut of their hats and clothes oftener than every five years, and pay dearly for this change without even a complaint.

Comparative Tax Statement.

In North Carolina there is a regular school tax running through the entire State amounting to 20 cents on the $100.00 property valuation. In addition to this general tax, different counties and communities levy a special tax to supplement the schoo lfund. In New Hanover county the special tax runs throughout the county as well as the city, but as the city bears the chief burden, a comparison may be made between Wilmington and other cities as follows:

Wilmington—General tax 20c; special tax, 15c; total, 35c.

Durham—General tax, 20c; special tax, 25c; total 45c.

Raleigh—General tax, 20c; special tax, 35c; total, 55c.

Asheville—General tax, 20c; special tax, 35c; total, 55c.

The total property valuation in New Hanover county is $22,000,000, and if we had the same school tax here that they have in Durham, it would add $22,000.00 to our school fund.

If we had the same school tax rate here that they have in Charlotte, it would add $32,000.00 to our school fund.

If we had the same school tax rate here that they have in Raleigh and Asheville, it woul dadd $44,000.00 to our school fund, which would be an increase of about 50 per cent. It is true that our entire tax rate is higher than the average tax rate for like community but a greater proportion of it has been voted for other purposes than schools, and is required to be applied to those causes for which same was levied, which are as follows:

City Tax on $100 valuation	1.75
State and county tax, including interest on school bonds	.75
Maintenance of Schools	.35
Total on $100 property valuation	$2.85

Our System is Not Expensive.

It may be asked how it is possible to operate the schools here successfully with a school fund so much smaller than the school funds of other like communities in North Carolina.

This is due almost entirely to the system under which we operate, which exists nowhere in North Carolina except in New Hanover county, and nowhere in the whole country except in a few isolated instances. Our system is what we call the "County Unit System"; that is, it is not divided up by district taxes, or town and village taxes, but the tax runs evenly throughout the county and in the school administration no regard is paid to the city or township boundaries. Districts are created according to the location of the children, and the districts of three of the six white grammar schools located in the city of Wilmington, extend beyond the city limits. By this method we can regulate the number of children in each school and can fill the various grades to their highest capacity. This enables not only a better grading but a more inexpensive administration, and I am satisfied that by this means we not only add from 15 to 20 per cent in efficiency, but save a like amount or more, in cost.

Where a county is so divided that we have a system of city schools, district schools and village schools, under different management, the expense of administration is greatly increased and the efficiency is reduced. Whatever results may have been obtained are due largely to the system under which we operate and to the fact that administration officials do not receive salaries.

Valuation of School Property.

In 1910, six years ago, the valuation of the entire school property in New Hanover county was $108,295.00. For a period of three years, beginning with the year 1910, considerable improvements were made before the bond issue was available. During the summer of 1910, we constructed the front annex to the High School at a cost of $25,289.68, together with additional equipment. This was paid for by a temporary loan which was retired from time to time by savings from the school fund. In 1911, Mr. Sam Bear, Jr., donated the Isaac Bear Memorial school to the Board of Education ,which cost upwards of $15,000. We purchased a lot for $12,000 upon which to locate this building, and for this a debt was created which was carried and paid off gradually.

Other improvements were made both in the city and county schools between 1910 and 1913, when the bond issue was authorized, amounting to more than $50,000, which was paid down to $19,250 before the money from the bonds was available, and then this balance was paid out of the bond issue.

The valuation of school property of New Hanover county is as follows:

City School property (white race)	$302,212.87
City school property (colored race)	75,723.14
County school property (white race)	29,668.65
County school property (colored race)	5,489.35
	$413,114.01
Valuation of school property six years ago	$108,295.00
A net increase of	$304,829.01

Of this amount bonds have been issued for $175,000 and the Board of Education is carrying a floating debt of $16,000 incurred largely for permanent improvements and equipment of new buildings.

Of the $413,114.01 property valuation, about $120,700 has been donated to the people of New Hanover county, and has not cost the public a penny, such donations being as follows:

U. S. Government	$ 52,500
Sam Bear, Jr.	15,000
Winter Park site, Hugh MacRae	1,500
Sea Gate site, Thos. Bagley	800
Masonboro school site, W. L. Parsley	200
Castle Hayne site, Car Real Estate Co.	300
Wrightsboro site, Moses Horne	400
Present High School property Hemenway heirs	50,000
	$120,700

High School.

The importance of the High School as a part of our public school system cannot be too highly estimated. There is still an idea lurking among some people to the effect that the High School furnishes higher education, if therefore a luxury, and should not be maintained at the public expense. This idea is a relic of fifty years ago, when the extent of one's learning necessary to earn a living in the ordinary walks of life, was much more limited than now. Then it was considered sufficient if one knew enough arithmetic to make him a successful merchant or could read well enough to acquire the thought on the printed page of the average book or newspaper. But now it is quite different and the occupations which are available to a boy or girl when he start one in life demand a much higher degree of training than those offered him fifty years ago. In Wilmington a boy or girl going into the office of our railroads, banks, or mercantile establishments needs no less training than that given in the High School; but this should be made more practical. The public school system was devised with the idea of levying a tax upon the man who was able to pay in order to educate the child of the man who was unable to pay; but the suggestions that a man who pays much more tax than is necessary to educate his children should be denied the right to have his children avail themselves of the higher studies taught in the High School, because such studies are a luxury, so nearly approaches the idea of dishonesty as to make it hardly worth discussing. On the other hand, the man who is able to support the school system without hurt to himself and thus enable the boy and girl to obtain an education who are not able to educate themselves, and is unwilling to do so, might be classed as an undesirable citizen.

We regard the High School as one of the most important parts of our educational system and one which should be developed until it attain the highest perfection. The man who is able to do so can send his children away to have them educated, but the man who is unable to do so is deprived of this class of education for his children, unless it can be furnished through the High School system; and this degree of education has now become necessary in order to fit a boy and girl for the duties of life and to make them

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Great Preparedness Parade to Usher in Convention Week.

City Expected to be Entertainer of Greatest Crowd of Visitors in Its History—How to House the People is a Problem.

Chicago, June 1.—Chicago's great parade in the interest of preparedness which will take place on Saturday June 3, will usher in seven days that, it is estimated, will make Chicago the entertainer of the greatest crowd of visitors it has ever taken care of and which will fill hotels and lodging houses as has not been done since the World's Columbian Exposition of 1893.

After the preparedness parade, in which 150,000 persons are expected to take part, will come various conventions. On Monday, June 5, the Nation convention of women suffragists will meet for a three-day session at the Blackstone Theatre, and two days later the Progressive National convention will meet at the Auditorium and the Republican National Convention at the Coliseum.

How to house all the visitors expected is a problem which has been puzzling Mayor Thompson's entertainment committee of 200 citizens. The committee has been busy supervising the situation and has made lists of hotels and private boarding houses where the city's visitors may be accommodated. Most of the down-town hotels already have disposed of their quarters, and the smaller and outlying hotels are being canvassed also.

One large lake excursion steamer will become a temporary lodging house and it is expected that many Pullman cars will be drawn into service while the crowds fill the city. Two thousand citizens have offered use of their automobiles for entertainment of Chicago's guests and many private homes will take care of the city's visitors.

Mayor Thompson, personally in charge of the general entertainment plans, will assist his committee to prepare a series of amusements which include dances, theatre parties, automobile races, automobile tours of the city and its environs, motorboat races including an exhibition of the prowess of James A. Pugh's famous hydroplane, Disturber IV., said to be the speediest motorboat in the world, and daily sailing races between fast yachts.

There will also be drills by police and firemen from some of the crack squads of Chicago, and rough-riding and roping exhibitions by cowboys from the Chicago Union Stockyards, all these exhibitions taking place at Grant Park.

Daily lake excursions will be given and one interesting feature of them will be visits to and detailed inspections of the new Chicago Municipal Pier, now almost completed at a cost of about $5,000,000 and combining, in a unique way, facilities for passenger and freight traffic and equipment for amusements, such as dancing and concerts, or for the more serious purposes of conventions, lectures and conferences.

For the sportsmen, golf tournaments have been arranged to take place on the five public courses and on the links of various country clubs, and in connection with the recreation on the links there will be given, after the games, various receptions, luncheons and dances at club houses.

Discussing the forthcoming influx of visitors, Mayor Thompson, who has taken a lively interest in the affairs that will mark the stay of the strangers within Chicago's gates, said:

"When I appeared before the Republican National Committee in Washington last winter I promised that if the Republican convention were awarded to Chicago we would entertain our visitors on a scale never before undertaken by an American city. Chicago is going to 'make good,' convention week and will keep every promise made."

W. W. Durham, chairman of the committee of state societies, has appointed a sub-committee to supervise the entertainment of visiting delegates from every state in the Union.

GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT OF WILMINGTON SCHOOLS DURING PAST SIX YEARS

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an asset to the community.

However, the curriculum of the High School is not that which is most desirable, as it is strictly what is known as the classic course, leading to entrance to universities and colleges. It is necessary to maintain this course, because to abolish it means to take our school system out of the class fixed by the educational standards of the day, and whatever may be our feeling about one study or another study not being necessary, yet if our school system is to keep pace with that of the country, we have got to follow the recognized standard of the country. Still, in addition to this course, there should be added in the High School a practical or industrial course, which would equip a student when he leaves the High School to enter the railroad offices, banks, commercial houses and factories of our city at a salary which will be compensatory for his services; and he should be so equipped as to enable him to render services of value to his employer. The High School should be made a work shop, out of which should be turned every year young men and young women who will be fitted and qualified to meet the problems of life and who will be an asset and not a liability to the community. It should be a dividend paying institution, and should render an annual return of value in human skill and human enterprise, and every dollar of public money spent for this purpose should be so spent as to guarantee a net result in favor of the investment.

We present to you tonight 45 young ladies and young gentlemen who have completed a course in the High School and will tonight receive their diplomas. The expense of their education for the past year has been $29.01 each, and if they had gone away from home to some institution they could hardly have entered and registered for this amount.

High School Building.

The construction of a High School building was never contemplated in the original plan for rebuilding the schools of New Hanover county, and in the bond issue it was never included. Three years ago it did not occur to any one that the High School property would not be sufficient for the High School in its present situation for years to come; but the facts now at hand indicate that seven years hence we will have between eight and nine hundred pupils in the High School and a graduating class of more than one hundred. This means that the High School is a growing school. The grammar schools in the center of the city are not growing in numbers, because the central sections of the city are as thickly populated as they will ever be. The growth in the schools occurs in those schools on the border of the city, where the population continues to increase. It is certain that the High School property will be sufficient in the future for a grammar school, which is not increasing in size, and it has been decided on this account to transfer the Union school to the High School property and construct a new High School building. The school authorities had contemplated taking the amount of money necessary to construct the Union school building and by adding something to this, to construct a High School building at a cost of about $50,000; but after investigating the matter thoroughly by consulting the needs of other cities comparable to Wilmington, we are of the opinion that to build a $50,000 High School building would be a waste of money and the building would be inadequate within a very few years. In Gastonia, a little town not half the size of Wilmington, a High School building has been recently constructed at the expense of $60,000. In Columbia, where the school system is about the size of ours, they have put $125,000 in a High School building. In Asheville, where the school system is some smaller than ours, the people have voted $200,000 in bonds for a High School building. Like instances might be multiplied ten-fold. We believe that the most conservative estimate of the needs of the future would not justify the people of New Hanover county in putting less than $100,000 in this High School building, because it is a growing institution, is open to all of the white children of New Hanover county, and we should not make the mistake of building what we know will be inadequate within a very short period of time.

Colored Schools.

I approach the discussion of the colored schools with a degree of misgiving that there still prevails a sentiment hostile to the education of the colored race. But if this question is to be discussed, it should be discussed frankly and without regard to what views may be held about the matter. The requirements of the law are plain and the school authorities are sworn to perform their duty and support the constitution and the laws of the State in this regard. If the objection is raised against the education of the colored race on the ground that the colored race pays only a small proportion of the school tax, then the only foundation upon which the public school system is based is attacked, because the entire system is justified on the ground that the child who is unable to contribute his part of the tax should be educated at the expense of those who are able to pay. If you expect your school authorities to violate their oaths and perjure themselves in order to carry out such a sentiment, and should have in office men who are willing to do this for the purpose of meeting this demand, then you might likewise expect them to violate the law in other particulars and do things against your wishes.

But the matter when thoroughly understood by the public will not meet with those objections that are usually prevalent. The law is enforced and the colored people are given the same length of term as the white people in New Hanover county, but the expense of this education is low when compared with the education of the white children.

In New Hanover county very little has been invested in school buildings for the colored race. The Peabody school on Fifth street, between Red Cross and Campbell, is owned by the colored race, and for 25 years the colored people have furnished their own school building for the operation of this school for their race. They have recently offered to donate this property of the value of about $10,000, to the Board of Education in consideration of its erecting a brick building on the property of that value for the education of the colored people. As yet this has not been undertaken because we think that improvements of the Williston Industrial school are more important to them, more advantageous to the community, and less expensive as a whole. The old Williston school property on Seventh street, worth approximately $25,000, is the only investment the public school system has made in the way of buildings for the education of the colored people, and this is so insignificant that we ought to be ashamed to mention it.

Williston Industrial School.

Of the bond issue of $175,000 a little less than $20,000 was expended in the construction of the Williston Industrial school on Tenth street on the property secured from the United States Government, which was a part of the Marine Hospital property. This land is worth upwards of $50,000, comprises seven and one-half blocks, and was donated by the United States Government to the Board of Education, after having obtained an act of Congress, which passed both houses and was signed by the President. This property was deeded to the Board of Education for the purpose of an industrial school, but is not restricted to the colored race, because it is the policy of the Board of Education to hold all of its property without conditions or restrictions so far as possible. This land has not cost the Board of Education a penny, not even the expense of those who visited Washington and took other trips in an effort to obtain it for the use of the people of New Hanover county. It is so located that it is not desirable for use by the white race for school purposes, but is convenient to the colored people and is extremely well adopted to the purpose for which it is intended.

The purpose of the Williston Industrial school for the colored race, like that of the High School for the white race, is to offer a class of instruction to the children of that race from all parts of the county, regardless of the place of residence. A still broader purpose is to teach in this school those subjects which will enable the colored people to better equip themselves for the duties of life in their own home, and to render more valuable services to theim employers by whom employed. The first year of this school has witnessed the installation of a domestic science department, a sewing department, and a department of agriculture. The domestic science or cooking department had enrolled during the past year 176 girls who have taken the course, which means that in their homes, and in the homes of those who employ them, foods will be more economically and better prepared, and they will be able to render more valuable services and to earn better compensation therefor.

In the sewing department there were enrolled during the past year 160 girls who have taken this course throughout the term and the exhibits of the work wil convince anyone of the value of this training. Practically all of the boys in the school have taken the agricultural course and in addition to this have put their ideas in some practical use. They have crops now growing of a dozen different kinds and have put rough ground in cultivation, which would have cost the Board of Education several hundred dollars, if it had been paid for.

On the whole, the leading colored people of the city of Wilmington are giving their full endorsement and cooperation to the Board of Education in their efforts to install a system of education which is practical and useful. They realize that it is better to teach a child to do those things which he will have to do during life, rather than to teach them Latin and like subjects, which he will never need, or be able to utilize as beneficial to him.

The educational authorities have been able to give to the colored children the same length of school term that they have given to the white children, and have been able to do so at a remarkably small cost, because of the fact that we have been able to supply the buildings and school equipment with very small investment out of the public school fund. After all, the question is not so much the amount of education that shall be given, but the kind of education that is best.

Some Illustrations of Good Work.

Illustrations of the good work done by the children in the schools might be enumerated extensively, but I call your attention to the following:

1. A larger percentage of promotions has been made this year than during any past year, which indicates a saving of time and expense in the school work.

2. Eight Hemenway graduates and nine Union graduates, who have received their certificates to the High School, have gained a year during their eight years' course, due to the fact that the grading is so improved that a child is allowed to proceed according to his capacity and application.

3. The percentage of tardies is diminishing and the percentage of attendance is increasing every year, and these percentages of attendance are larger this year than ever before.

4. At the recent final examinations in the High School every enrolled student was present, which shows that they are doing the work completely and thoroughly and are not endeavoring to shirk it.

5. One Freshman class at the High School, at the closing of the school, contained the same number of pupils which entered at the beginning of the year, and every member was promoted to the sophomore class.

6. One of the girls, Miss Helena Judson, has ridden 2,720 miles on a bicycle during the past school year to attend the High School, and is one of the members of the graduating class.

7. John Warren has for nine years dodged the mumps, the measles and the whooping cough and during that time has not been absent or tardy a single time. He actually had an operation performed on Sunday to avoid missing school during the week.

The Interest the Child Takes.

The interest that the child takes in the school system is the most encouraging and hopeful indication of a successful future. We are sometimes amazed at the extreme enthusiasm which is shown by all the children of the city and their intense interest in the work that they are doing. Without this, and without the earnest co-operation of the parents, the work would always be discouraging, because as the interest of the child and parent increases, the percentages of scholarship and attendance increase; and as the interest of the child and parent decreases the percentage of scholarship and attendance decrease. The monthly reports and records furnish a most interesting thermometer of the result that is being obtained, and it is always easy to ascertain whether the schools are measured up to a proper standard.

This is not accidental. Every "Red A" in the little fellow's report, every playground apparatus installed for his benefit, every picture that hangs on the walls of his school room, and every flower that beautifies his windows, constitute a part of a deliberate plan to get and retain his interest and attention, and I believe that if a school superintendent perform no other duty except that of devising plans and schemes to enlist the interest of the child and make his work a pleasant one, the money would be well spent.

We bespeak your cordial interest and co-operation in the future, as we have had it in the past, and if we get it we assure you that neither you nor your children will be disappointed with the results.

SUNDAY SERVICES

St. James' church, Rev. W. H. Milton, D. D., rector.—Service, sermon and Holy Communion at 11 in the morning. Evening prayer and Sunday school commencement at 5. Everybody welcome.

First Baptist church, Fifth and Market streets, Rev. W. Marshall Craig, acting pastor.—Prayer service at 9:30 in the morning. Sunday school at 9:45. Morning worship at 11, at which hour the Children's Day exercises will be held. The B. Y. P. U. will meet at 7 in the evening. Evening worship at 8. Subject of sermon: "Walking in Newness of Life." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8. To all these services every one is cordially invited.

Fifth Avenue Methodist church, Rev. John H. Shore, pastor.—Preaching at 11 in the morning and at 8 in the evening. Subjects of sermons: Morning, "The General Rules of the Methodist Church;" evening, "The Secret of a Happy Life." Sunday school in the morning at 9:45. Epworth League Tuesday evening at 8. Service Wednesday at 8. A most cordial welcome to all who attend these services.

Calvary Baptist church, Rev. J. A. Sullivan, pastor.—Preaching in the morning at 11 and in the evening at 8. Morning subject: "The Thing That Pleases God." At night there will be a recognition service for the new deacons and new members. Sunday school at 9:45 in the morning. Teachers' meeting Tuesday night. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. B. Y. P. U. Thursday night. Sunbeams Friday afternoon at 4. Song service Friday night. A welcome to everybody.

Christian church, Dock street.—Preaching in the morning at 11 and in the evening at 8 conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. E. Reynolds. Sunday school at 10 in the morning. Christian Endeavor at 7:15 in the evening. Protracted meeting begins Monday night. Rev. R. L. Topping will do the preaching. The public is cordially invited to attend all the services.

St. Paul's Episcopal church, 16th and Market streets, Rev. E. deF. Heald, Jr., rector.—Sunday school in the morning at 9:45. Holy Eucharist and sermon ("Loss and Gain") at 11. Evening prayer and sermon ("Ships or Tarhish") at 8 (question box). All seats free. A cordial welcome to all.

St. Mary Pro-Cathedral, Fifth avenue and Ann street.—First mass in the morning at 7. Last mass and sermon at 10:30. Vespers in the evening at 8.

Seventh Day Adventist church, Fourth and Wright streets.—Church service each Sunday night at 8. Sabbath school each Saturday morning at 10 and preaching at 11. Prayer meetings each Wednesday night at 8.

Christian Science Society, church edifice Seventeenth and Market streets: Service Sunday morning at 11. Subject: "God the Only Cause and Creator." Sunday school at 12:15. Testimonial meeting Wednesday at 8:15 in the evening. Free reading room in the Murchison National Bank building, open daily, except Sundays and holidays, from 4 to 6:30 in the afternoon. The public is cordially invited to attend all services and visit the reading room.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Market & Sixth streets, Rev. F. B. Clausen, pastor. At 11 in the morning a German service. At 8 in the evening English service. Topic of sermon: "Sursum Corda!" Sunday school will meet at 10 in the morning instead of in the afternoon. Visitors cordially invited to these services.

Bladen street Methodist church, Rev. J. P. Pate, pastor: Preaching in the morning at 11 and in the evening at 8. Sunday school at 3:30 in the afternoon. A cordial welcome to all.

Southside Baptist church, corner Fifth Avenue and Wooster street, Rev. W. G. Hall, pastor: Sunday school in the morning at 9:45. Morning worship at 11 and in the evening at 8 by the pastor. Special sermon at the morning service to the new members and communion to the church. Baptism at the close of the evening service. Public cordially invited to worship at this church.

Winter Park Methodist church, Rev. J. Herbert Miller, pastor. Preaching at 11 in the morning. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

St. Matthew's Evangelical Lutheran church, corner Fourth and Harnett streets, Rev. G. W. McClanahan, pastor—Services at 11 A. M., and 8 P. M. Morning subject, "The Ascension." Night subject, "The Mystery of Godliness." All are most cordially invited to attend.

Grace Methodist church, corner of Fourth and Grace streets, Rev. M. T. Plyler, pastor—Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Reception of members and communion service at morning hour. Epworth League anniversary at the evening hour. Subject, "Dreams Realized." Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. All are welcome.

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THE NEW PAN-AMERICANISM

What It Means to the Commercial and Financial Development of the South.

(Summarized extracts from address before the Chamber of Commerce of Charlotte, North Carolina, Wednesday afternoon, May 31, 1916, by John Barrett, director general of the Pan American Union, the official International organization of the American republics in Washington, and formerly United States minister to Argentina, Panama and Colombia).

The South has a vital and vast interest in the development of Pan-American commerce and Pan-American friendship. The future prosperity of this section will be most directly affected by the building up of the closest relations of trade and finance between the United States and its sister American republics. The demands of the twenty Latin-American republics, reaching from Mexico and Cuba on the north to Argentina and Chile on the south, for the manufactured and agricultural products and for the financial aid of these southern states are sure to increase to vast proportions, provided that the government, the people, the financial, commercial and agricultural interests of the United States will take full advantage of this field and meet successfully not only its requirements of development but the competition which will be experienced with both Europe and Asia. There is hardly an article manufactured or an agricultural product produced in the South that will not be wanted in increasing quantities in Latin-America, if the United States appreciaes the future value of Latin-American markets and leaves no steps neglected to master them.

It is no argument against the value of the future trade of Latin-America that its present value is not as large as it should be and is surpassed by present demands of the trade in Europe. We have only just begun to build up Pan-American commerce and yet we have made astonishing progress. During the ten years I have been the executive officer of the Pan-American Union, the official international organization of the American republics—the United States and its twenty sister Latin-American republics—devoted to the development of commerce, friendship and peace among them, I have seen the volume and value of the annual trade of the United States with these countries grow from less than $500,000,000 to the magnificent total of, approximately, $850,000,000. Associated with this is a remarkable fact surprising and unknown to most men, and that is that during this period the United States has advanced from a position far behind Great Britain and Germany to one of leadership over them. In proof of this I submit the figures for 1913, the last regular year before the war broke out. In that year the value of the total trade of the United States, including exports and imports, within Latin-America exceeded $810,000,000; the figures for Great Britain were $640,000,000 or $170,000 less than those of the United States; and for Germany $410,000,000, or barely half the total trade of the United States.

Our manufacturers, our bankers and our financiers have gained the false impression that we were far behind Europe in our trade with Latin-America because they have been influenced by the trade figures of a few of the countries of South America proper and have overlooked the fact that, although Great Britain and Germany led in some of the Latin-American countries, they were far behind the United States in all Latin-America. The bankers, the financiers, the business men and the farmers of the South must admit that the Latin-American field, taken as a whole, despite its handicaps and difficulties, is worthy of their attention when it is capable not only of increasing its trade with the United States $350,000,000 in ten years, but in 1913 without the special advantage given the United States by the war, buying and selling more with this country than it did with Great Britain or Germany.

Another and most convincing fact about the potential importance of the Latin-American commercial and financial opportunity is that these twenty sister republics conducted a total foreign commerce with the world in 1913 valued at the immense total of $3,000,000,000, which, in turn, represented an astonishing increase of $1,000,000,000, in the last ten years. From this fact that the total foreign commerce of Latin-America is valued at approximately $3,000,000,000 and that the share of the United States during 1915 passed the mark of $850,000,000, it will be seen that this share of the United States was more than one-fourth and nearly one-third of Latin-America's entire commerce, a showing far ahead of any other country in the world.

With this general survey of the Pan-American situation in mind, it is of urgent importance that we face the future with a knowledge of conditions and engage in a commercial and financial preparedness that will protect and advance the commerce and prestige of the United States. Looking squarely in the face the practical requirements of the hour, the United States government and people must first equip themselves with a first class merchant marine, for it will be absolutely impossible for the United States to stand successfully future competition without the facilities of a large fleet of merchant vessels carrying the American flag. It is just as illogical for the United States to depend upon the vessels of other countries to conduct its foreign trade as it is for a great department store to depend upon the delivery automobiles of a rival store to carry to its patrons the articles which they have purchased, and yet at the outbreak of the European war over 90 per cent of the shipments of the United States to foreign lands were carried in vessels flying the flags of the nations which are now at war. As a result of this sad situation, the United States, during the first year of the European war, from lack of ships, lost $200,000,000 in the trade with Latin-America, and would at this moment be doing almost double its present commerce if it had adequate steamship facilities.

The next and second important step to be taken is the establishment of banks controlled by United States capital throughout Latin-America, for only in this way can the problems of exchange and of credits be solved to the advantage of this country. Already the National City Bank of New York City has led the way for eastern banks. Now the financial interests of the South, headed by the bankers of its commercial and financial centers, should take steps to establish banks in the principal commercial centers of Latin-America controlled by the capital of this section. Every such bank will be a direct agency for the export and import trade of the South.

The third need of the day is the investment of United States capital in the public loans and private enterprises of Latin-America. Heretofore our sister republics have obtained their borrowed money from Europe. That supply is now cut off. Unless the United States steps into the breach, the great material development of these southern nations will be seriously retarded. Every dollar that the United States may put into Latin-America will bring back a dollar of added trade. If this country will invest $500,000,000 in Latin-America during the next five years, it will witness an increase of $500,000,000 in the value of its exports and imports exchanged.

The fourth, and also a crying need, is the enactment of legislation by Congress which will permit the small manufacturing and exporting firms of the South and of all the country to combine in organization and in agreement upon prices to do business in foreign countries and especially in Latin-America. Only in this way can such firms successfully meet the competition of their rivals of Europe and Asia.

Fifth, the commercial and financial interests of the South must consider carefully the education of young men in the Latin-American languages, in Latin American geography, Latin American commerce, and Latin American customs and history, in order to have qualified men coming forward to build up the commerce of this section Chambers of commerce, boards of trade, banking organizations, civic societies, universities, colleges and high schools must give more attention to everything connected with Latin America and thereby promote the cause of practical Pan-Americanism.

Sixth, there are the considerations, moreover, of travel, of our getting acquainted in these countries, of proper packing to meet conditions of transportation and, climate, of advertising in Latin-American newspapers to make known what we have to sell and what we want to buy, of improvement by international agreement, of tariffs, laws for salesmen, copyrights, trade marks etc., so that Pan-American trade may be properly fostered and protected.

In conclusion, permit me to urge upon all who may hear or read these humble observations to have confidence in the patriotic efforts of President Wilson to adjust the Mexican question without injuring the great cause of Pan-Americanism. Every man and woman in this country who may be impatient with the President or who may differ with him as to the wisdom of his policy in the Mexican situation should bear in mind that he must not only look at the border, consider not only Americans in Mexico, and not only shape the relations of the United States with Mexico alone, but look at the great reach of other Latin-American lands that extend from the border south to Argentina and Chile, consider the millions of peoples in Latin America who are naturally sympathetic with Mexico, and shape the relations of the United States with all its sister Latin American republics. The critics of the President must bear in mind, moreover, that in making every effort to avoid forcible intervention he is endeavoring to respect a sister republic's sovereignty and integrity, which is its dearest asset. Undoubtedly the Latin American peoples are sympathetic to a considerable degree with the United States in the difficulties it has to confront in Mexico, but they expect to see this country force no decision which will not have regard for the sovereignty and integrity of Mexico and thereby for the sovereignty and integrity of all the Latin American countries.

HOG CHOLERA CONTROL.

Dr. F. D. Owen to be Engaged in This Work in Onslow County.

The following notice is issued from the office of the North Carolina agricultural extension service, Raleigh:

"To control hog cholera, it is absolutely essential that the hogs should be innoculated against the disease and the premises be kept in a sanitary condition. The Extension Service has had a veterinary field agent at work in the state now for about two years and during that time, the sale of hog cholera serum has been materially increased, as well as the disease being controlled to a greater extent than ever before. It is the duty of this agent to go into those counties in which the disease appears and show by actual demonstrations and illustrated lectures the measures that must be used in the control of the disease.

"Dr. F. D. Owen who has this branch of the work in charge will be engaged in the work in Onslow County for two days during the first of June. The dates are as follows:

"Jacksonville, June 7th, 8 o'clock P. M. Richlands, June 8th, 8 o'clock P. M.

"The lanterh will be used in these lectures to show how to clean up the premises, inoculate the hogs, prepare the serum, and other matters relating to the control of hog cholera.

"During the day, demonstrations will he held as to the manner of inoculating. Those who desire to have their hogs inoculated should advise Dr. Owen as to the number of hogs to be treated, and the live weight, so that sufficient serum may be brought from the plant of the Department at Raleigh. Dr. Owen's address is care The State Veterinarian, Raleigh, N. C.

CONTEST FOR HEALTH TROPHY.

Kansas Governor Offers Trophy to County Showing Best Health Record

Kansas is again in the lead. Recently she paid off all her bonded indebtedness and burned her canceled bonds. Her per capita wealth which is stod at be $1,630 and which is greater than that of any other state and twice as high as that of the United States as a whole, has long been her boast, but now she is striving for something better than wealth. Her Governor is offering a handsome trophy to the county which can boast by its recodr that it is the healthiest county in the state and the best in which to live and rear children. The way the counties are to do this is explained in the following bulletin:

"There is not a county in Kansas that knows how good nor how bad its conditions are until it has taken stock of itself. To test your county, search out its weaknesses, admit any unpleasant facts about conditions, and set about to remedy them is the only way to prove that your county is the healthiest in the state of Kansas, and to win the prize.

"To prove that one has the healthiest county in the state is more than a matter of pride. There is also a commercial value attached to the winning of the trophy. Bette rhealth means increased vigor. Increased vigor means increased production and longer life. They, in turn, mean increased prosperity for the couty and every person living in it. Strangers, too, will want to come to live in the healthiest county in the state, and so increase the population and bring additional wealth."

MEMORABLE DAY IN WAYNE

Mrs. M. T. Breazeale Organizes Wayne County Society Children of the American Revolution.

Goldsboro, N. C., June 3.—Saturday, May the 27th, marked a memorable day in Wayne county history, when at her home in Mount Olive, Mrs. M. T. Breazeale organized the "Anthony Wayne Society, Children of the American Revolution, of Wayne County, N. C." Two months ago, at a meeting of the National Board in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Breazeale was elected organizing president of the society, and since that time has been engaged in the plans which so successfully materialized last week, the formation of the Anthony Wayne Society with twenty-eight charter members. Twenty applications were presented, on date of organization, which will make an enrollment of forty-eight.

Mrs. Breazeale had as her guests a number of friends from the David Williams Chapter D. A. R. of Goldsboro, N. C., of which she is a charter member and historian. Mothers of the children were present and other ladies of the town who are D. A. R.

The meeting was called to order by the president and all sang America. Mrs. Fred R. Mints, chaplain, read an appropriate lesson from St. Matthew and led the prayer. Mrs. Breazeale made a short but cordial address of welcome in which she briefly outlined the object of the society of which there is but one other in the State, dwelling on the wonderful possibilities of a historical society, made up of such a splendid body of boys and girls, having, as it will the support and co-operation of the women of the county who trace their lineage to the patriots of 1776, who strive to imerish not only the traditions of the past but live nobly the present, true to God, to home and county. Miss Mabel Kornegay, Secretary, then called the roll, then announced the applicants for membership, and named the officers. The president then announced that the society was to be named for the patriot and soldier of the revolution, for whom our county is named, General Anthony Wayne. The society was then requested to stand and repeat the following pledge. "I pledge myself to conform to the constitution and by-laws of the National Society of Children of the American Revolution, with loyalty and patriotism, to the best of my ability," after which the President replied, "Anthony Society, I salute you, and by right ofSHRDL UPUN PUN NN Ident I now declare you to be duly organized, I wish for you many years of successful service, may you be true always to the ideals and principals of the National Society of Children of the American Revolution."

The following children then answered queries in regard to the society: Name, Fred R. Mintz; origin, Julian McGee; founder, Henrietta Kornegay; Dues, Ben Southerland; requirements for membership, Virginia Johnson, of Goldsboro, and the object of the society was prettily told by Blanche Hendly, of Goldsboro.

Fisher Taylor, of Goldsboro, who was transferred from the Governor Thomas Wells Society of Washington, D. C., read an interesting paper on "What it means to be a member of G. A. R." She then presented a gavel which was made from the hickory tree in the grove of the home where lived the soldier of the Revolution, from whom the Goldsboro Chapter D. A. R. takes its name, David Williams. The gavel was the gift of Mrs. A. W. Wells, of Washington, D. C., who sent cordial greetings. Letters of greetings were read by the secretary from the National vice president in charge of organization, Mrs. Lawrence W. Quirlolo, of Washington, D. C., from National Registrar Mrs. J. B. G. Curtis, of Washington, D. C., and from State Director of G. A. R. for North Carolina, Miss Lottie Hales Banner, who has taken active interest in the formation of the Anthony Wayne Society.

Mrs. Breazeale introduced Miss Annie Farrior, of Goldsboro, regent of the D. A. R., who welcomed the new society and expressed cordial greetings after which Miss Ellen McPhail, president of Confederate Greys U. D. C. gave greetings from her chapter, after which Mrs. Charles F. Taylor, of Goldsboro, State Charity Officer of D. A. R., gave welcome and words of encouragement to the new society. Louise Davis then read an interesting "Sketch of Anthony Wayne's Life."

The Loving Deeds Committee have for their motto the Golden Rule, and three girls sang a song about their work. They were Charlotte Davis, Elizabeth Wooten and Mary Adams Oliver. "U. S. A." was given by Henrietta Kornegay, Elizabeth Davis and Elizabeth Wooten, after which Fred Mintz, Jr., and Mary Bright Herring recited "America for One." "Anthony Wayne the Hero" was read by Mabel Wooten Kornegay, after which the entire society stood and gave "The Salute to the Flag." Misses Jim and Rachel Kornegay sang with their usual charm, "Children of Patriots," and "Wave High Your Flag," as a finale to the programme.

The hostess then led the way into the dining room, which was bright with many flags, small silk flags being given as favors. The broad mahogany table bore as its center piece a white basket filled with Easter lilies and ferns, softly gleaming candles and bows of tulle made the table decorations attractive, Miss Ada English, Mrs. Della McGee and Mrs. Ben W. Southerland served an ice course with cake, followed by mints and salted almonds. In the hall Miss Mintz and Mrs. Fred R. Mints served cherry punch. The decorations were pink Killarney roses.

Mrs. Breazeale is an artist and her home, filled as it is with paintings, was enhanced by the pretty floral arrangement, great banks of pink roses being used in profusion. The afternoon was one of pleasure to the guests and to the Anthony Wayne Society C. A. R. whose officers are as follows:

President, Henrietta Kornegay; first vice president, Virgini aJohnson, Goldsboro, N. C., second vice president, Julian McGee; chaplain, Benjamin Southerland, Jr., treasurer, James Davis; recording secretary, Louise Davis; corresponding secretary, Mabel Wooten Kornegay; historian, Oliver Allen, Goldsboro, assistant historian, Alan McGee, Goldsboro; registrar, Fisher Taylor, Goldsboro; Charity Officer, Blanche Henley, Goldsboro; assistant charity officer, Eleanor Herring; loving deeds officer, Elizabeth Wooten; committee, Anna Southerland, Kate Steele, Charlotte Davis; color bearers, Mary Adams Oliver, Rodney Knowles, Charles Brantly Aycock and Fredrick Rudolph Mints.

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Continuing, the speaker said: "I could rent more houses if they just had the means of out-door sleeping connected with them. I find that the better class of renters or those paying higher rents are willing to pay extra for homes having sleeping porches or places that can be converted into such arrangements. Recently a family moved here from Oregon and the husband came to me to rent a home. His first demand was a home with a 'sleeping gallery,' and when I had shown him all the houses I had to rent, he said: 'What is the matter with you folks down here that you don't have these arrangements? Why we haven't slept in doors for six years, till coming to your State, and yet you have by far the more favorable climate for out-door sleeping. One would think that you had not gotten away from the old idea that night air is poisonous.' I couldn't offer an explanation as to why we didn't have more arrangements for out-door sleeping, but I could truthfully tell him that he looked the part. I never saw a healthier looking man and he was no crank, either."

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In the Matter of the Petition of Franco-Ottoman Shipping Company, Limited, as Owners of the Steamship "Cromwell" for Limitation of Liability.

Notice of Monition.

The President of the United States, To the Marshal of Said District:

Whereas, a libel or petition has been filed in the District Court of the United States, for the Eastern District of North Carolina, on the 29th day of November, 1915, by the Franco-Ottoman Shipping Company, owners of the Steamship "Cromwell," praying the decree of the Court that the said libellant is not liable for the loss and damage occasioned by the collision in the said Libel and Petition set forth, occurring on the Second day of January, A. D., 1914, on the Northeast Branch of the Cape Fear River, near Wilmington, between the said steamship "Cromwell" and the iron bridge of the Wilmington Railway Bridge Company, or any part thereof, and that the libellant and petitioner be declared entitled to the benefits of the provisions of the maritime law and of the statutes of the United States of America in such cases named; and,

Whereas, the said Court has authorized and directed that a stipulation be entered in the sum of $64,848.28 the alleged value of said petitioner's interest in said vessel and freight, which stipulation has been duly entered and filed in this Court; and,

Whereas, on the 31st day of May, 1916, the Court ordered that a Monition issue to all persons having claims by reason of the premises, citing them to appear before the said court to make proof of their claims, the same to be filed on or before the Twelfth day of September, A. D., 1916, with S. P. Collier, Deputy Clerk of the Court, at Wilmington, N. C., with liberty to libellants, or any other person in interest, to contest any claim so presented.

You are Therefore hereby commanded to cite all persons having, or pretending to have, claims for any loss, destruction, damage or injury occasioned by reason of the said collision, to be and appear before the said court at a session thereof, to be held in the District Court room, in the City of Wilmington, on the 12th day of September, 1916, at ten o'clock A. M. Then and there to answer the said libel or petition and make their allegations in that behalf; and on or before said day to make due proof of their respective claims before the said S. P. Collier, Deputy Clerk of the said Court, at his office in the City of Wilmington, with liberty of any party in interest to contest such claim; and what you have done in the premises do you there and then make return, together with this writ.

Witness the Honorable H. G. Connor, Judge of said Court at the City of Wilmington, in the Eastern District of North Carolina, this Second day of June, A. D., 1916.

(Seal) ALEX. L. BLOW, Clerk.
By S. P. COLLIER, Deputy Clerk.

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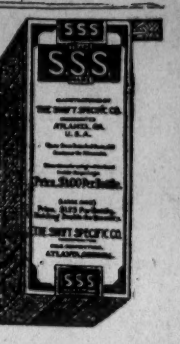

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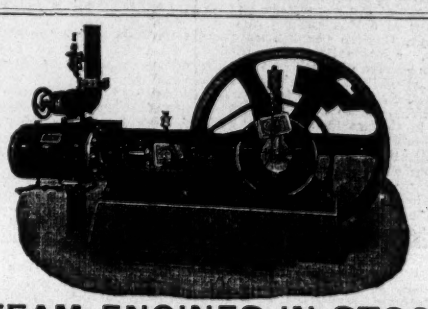

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THEATRICAL

Now under a long term contract with the Jesse L. Lasky Feature Play Company, the beautiful and talented Marie Doro will be seen in a series of photodramas written especially for her. Her first picture will be "The Heart of Nora Flynn," by Hector Turnbull and Jeanie MacPherson, authors of "The Cheat," and produced under the personal direction of Cecil B. De Mille, director general for the Lasky Company, which is announced as tomorrow's big feature at the Grand.

For a number of years Miss Doro has been on the speaking stage as a star under the management of the late Charles Frohman. She appeared in "The Morals of Marcus" and was a member of the all star cast in the revival of the celebrated "Diplomacy."

Upon her first appearance on the screen in "The Morals of Marcus," for the Famous Players Company, she created a tremendous success and was immediately claimed as one of the future photodramatic stars of the country. In subsequent productions she fully justified these prophesies.

She was recently secured by the Lasky Company and in "The Heart of Nora Flynn" will be seen as a nurse maid in charge of the two little children of a wealthy family. How she hopes to be in service only long enough to save money that she and Nolen may marry and have a home of their own, and how she saves her mistress from disgrace even after she is denounced by her jealous lover, and how she finally convinces him that his suspicions were unfounded, goes toward making a story gripping in intensity and unusual in theme.

Triangle Pictures at Royal.

Tomorrow the Royal theatre presents the first Triangle Pictures ever presented in Wilmington. The Triangle Pictures since their first appearance some six months ago have created a sensation all over America. "Triangle Pictures" bear the same relation to the motion picture art as "Sterling" does to silver—in other words, a definite guarantee of supreme quality.

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For tomorrow a great seven-reel Triangle programme will be presented, headed by a Triangle fine-arts drama in five acts, "Between Men," starring those two intense dramatic stars, William S. Hart and House Peters, the latter of whom will be remembered as starring in "The Great Divide." William S. Hart, one of the greatest favorites of all film stars, takes the part of a man who never forgets a favor. When an enemy threatens the man who befriended him with financial ruin, he responds to the call with alacrity. It is a fight to the finish with both brains and fists to save the fortune of the friend and win the hand of the daughter. The terrific hand to hand combat, the terrible Wall Street scene, and the final victory combine to produce a play in which not a moment drags. Beautiful Enid Markley is in the cast.

"Dizzy Heights and Daring Hearts" is the twko-reel Triangle Keystone also on the bill, starring Chester Conklin and the Keystone players, the most wonderful Keystone ever filmed. Aeroplanes looping the loop, the thrilling chase of a biplane, the miraculous rescue from the top of a tower and a 300-foot smokestack blown up are only a few of the thrills. Be sure and note the changed hours of shows for tomorrow, in today's advertising columns.

Frances Nelson Coming.

Beautiful Frances Nelson, the screen's youngest emotional artiste, comes to the Grand next Thursday in a stupendous film drama based upon Jules Eckert Goodman's marvelous Broadway success, "The Point of View," the film version being entitled, "Love's Crucible," a stirring and heart throbbing story of a beautiful girl's struggle for "a career" and love against the combined forces of good and evil.

"Love's Crucible" stands first among the year's photoplays in live interest, tense action, brisk plot, tender romance, big situations, modern life, picturesque sets and true punch, and the Woman's International Dramatic League has gone on record as saying: "It marked an epoch on the screen of marvelous power and should be witnessed by every woman in the world."

Thousands of mothers and fathers throughout the nation are confronted daily with the problem of their young daughter's ambition to break home ties and seek a career in a big city. The question is answered for them in "Love's Crucible," the stirring story or a young girl's fight for love against the forces of evil, and this photoplay should be seen by every mother, every father and every young girl in Wilmington, a stirring production by William A. Brady and Lee Shubert.

MAIME DORO

Starring With Elliott Dexter in "The Heart of Nora Flynn," a Paramount Picture at the Grand Tomorrow.

FEDERAL MARKET NEWS BUREAU IN ELIZABETH CITY.

Daily Wire Reports of All Market Conditions to be Inaugurated.

Elizabeth City, N. C., June 3.—The United States Department of Agriculture, through the office of Markets and Rural Organization, is establishing in Elizabeth City a field branch station, which is to work in co-operation with the State Division of Markets, for the distribution of market news throughout the potato season.

P. C. Isbell and W. B. Walker, of Washington, arrived June 1 to get this service started. Mr. W. E. Camp, chief of the North Carolina Division of Markets, is also on the ground for a few days with C. E. Haskett, who will later assume charge of this work.

Each day the information regarding market conditions in the principal cities and movement of potatoes from producing sections will be assembled by wire and distributed from this station by telephone, telegraph, mail and bulletins.

The bulletins will be issued about 12:30 P. M. each day and are for free distribution to producers, shippers and all who are interested in the movement of this crop. These reports give quantity originating from the different competing sections, the arrivals that same day upon the principal markets, and the prices prevailing that same morning.

This work has been carried on with great success in leading producing centers of many perishable commodities such as strawberries, tomatoes, asparagus, onions, cantaloupes, peaches ,apples and potatoes. It is the hope this service may be continued here for the sweet potato shipping season as well.

This work has given shippers in other sections an opportunity to intelligently distribute their produce, on favorable markets and save them losses on overstocked markets.

In the matter of the recent Texas onion deal, it has been estimated growers and shippers have been saved nearly a million dollars through the market news service. A single branch shipping association in the Arkansas strawberry section reports that by use of these daily bulletins, one car was so advantageously moved as to pay that station's entire cost for telegrams from a nearby branch office of markets.

Individual shippers, brokers, and all factors connected with the potato deal, derive similar benefits.

Any desirous of securing these daily market bulletins by mail may obtain them free of cost upon application to C. E. Haskett, market assistant of division of markets, or by giving their names to Mr. G. W. Falls, county demonstration agent.

Shippers or growers may also obtain this daily report b ytelephone free by calling Mr. Haskett, and long distance points, also by paying telephone or telegraphic charges.

The people of this vicinity as well as potato buyers should show a proper consideration of the efforts of the government in assisting the industry, in order to insure the continuance of such a valuable service.

As season progresses similar offices are expected to be opened in Norfolk and Onley.

CARD OF THANKS

The Thebae Class of Grace Sunday school take this means of thanking all those who showed such generosity in donating the use of their automobiles for the ride around the loop given Thursday night, which was such a success in every way.

(Advertisement.)

A Scene From "Between Men," The Royal's First Triangle Offering Tomorrow, Starring House Peters, William S. Hart and Enid Markley.

GREAT GROWTH OF U. S. PORTS

Government Expert Lauds Efforts of Cities Towards Control of Waterfronts.

Washington, May 31.—During the last five years the country has witnessed a remarkable port development. In one of the most timely and most comprehensive bulletins ever issued by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, department of commerce, this rapid development is attributed to the recent commercial growth of the country, to the building of the Panama canal, and to the recent tendency of Congress to require communities receiving Federal appropriations for river and harbor work to co-operate in making the improvement or to provide public terminals.

All Americans will be pleased to learn that American ports are better suited by nature to handle the largest liners than any of the Old World ports, the author of the report, Commercial Agent Grosvenor M. Jones, states that there afe four American ports — New York, San Francisco, Seattle and Tacoma—where it is possible to dock boats as large as the Aquitania and Imperator at any stage of the tide, and in Boston such boats can proceed to the wharves at high tide. In natural advantages the busiest of the European ports do not compare favorably with these and a number of other American ports.

It is interesting to note the statement that the great majority of our ports along the seaboard are actually located on rivers, some of the most important ports reached by ocean-going vessels being located far inland. Thus New Orleans is 106 miles from the Gulf of Mexico, Philadelphia 105 miles from Delaware bay, Baltimore 151 miles from Hampton Roads.

Other ports located a considerable distance inland are Brunswick, thirteen miles from the ocean; Hartford, fifty-two miles; Houston, fifty miles; Jacksonville, twenty-seven and one-half miles; Mobile, thirty miles; Port Arthur, Texas, about seventeen miles; Portland, Oregon, 112 miles; Richmond, 104 miles; Sacramento, 111 miles; Savannah, twenty-six miles; Washington, 195 miles; Wilmington, Del., eighty-two miles; Wilmington, N. C., thirty miles.

Mr. Jones has confined his attention to those ports, having a water-borne commerce amounting to 1,000,000 short tons in value, or $30,000,000 in value. It is rather surprising to find that there are sixty-eight ports of this importance in the United States—twenty-three on the Atlantic coast, eight on the Gulf of Mexico, ten on the Pacific coast, two on the Ohio river and no less than twenty-five on the Great Lakes.

In recent years there has been a decided tendency toward public ownership of waterfront property, due to a recognition of the community values of a port and to the increasing tendency of Congress to require communities receiving Federal aid in harbor and waterways improvements to maintain public terminals. Only a few ports, namely, New Orleans, San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego, own the major portion of their water fronts or are in a position to acquire the bulk of it. The ports of Oakland, Sacramento, Stockton and Washington are similarly placed. These are the only ports of the sixty-eight studied in which the public interest is dominant. Six of these eight ports are located on the Pacific coast.

Although at each of the other ports the frontage owned and controlled by the state or city is less than one-half of the total available frontage, such frontage, nevertheless, represents a substantial interest. This is true of New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Baltimore, Seattle and Tacoma.

WANTED BABY REGISTERED.

Lack of Certificate Causes Loss of Fortune.

"I want to know if my baby has a birth certificate in this office, and if he has, I'd like to see it," said a caller at the State Board of Health offices recently. It developed that the man was in doubt as to the physician's having sent the baby's correct name, and he considered it worth his time and the necessary expense to investigate the matter. In fact, he had come over a hundred miles to make sure of the facts contained in the certificate and said meanwhile his stay; "I don't want my boy handicapped when he becomes of age, because his birth was not registered. I wanted to make sure that the doctor had not neglected it, for I believe in twenty years a birth certificate will be necessary for most everything you do."

"That people are paying more attention to the registering of births and deaths is encouraging," says the State Board of Health, "as it means more accurate the valuable vital statistics and more reliable facts upon which to do health work.

"Then there are the advantages that come directly to the people themselves," continues the board. "Recently, an instance came to light in which a physician's failure to report a birth cost a little girl a legacy of $12,000. In another case a mother was unable to prove the legitimacy of her child because she was unable to produce the child's birth certificate. Americans have lost inheritances and large fortunes because of no birth certificates to identify then as heirs. In fact, we believe the man was not far wrong when he said that in twenty years a birth certificate would be necessary for most everything you want to do."

NEW WAY TO MAKE CEMENT

It is stated that a firm in France is producing cement from the scum formed by boiling beet for sugar manufacture. The scum consists chiefly of carbonate of lime and water. Out of 70,000 tons of beet 4,000 of carbonate of lime is obtained; to this 1,100 tons of clay is added, the resulting product being 3,162 tons of excellent cement. The scum is pumped into large tanks, where it is allowed to dry partially; finely divided clay is then mixed with it; the mixture is thoroughly amalgamated by beaters for an hour and burned in a rotary kiln, much in the same way as Portland cement. The clinker is then removed and pulverized into cement.

ENTHUSIASTIC OVER CONVENTION PROSPECTS

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movement can go forward with the greatest momentum unless all the units get together and work in harmony.

Because the people of Wilmington and New Hanover county are spending a great deal of time, energy, money and thought to give you the best and most profitable time of your life.

Just read the following:

Railroad rates: The following railroads are offering special rates of three cents per mile for the round trip, plus thirty-five cents, an exceedingly low rate. Tickets on sale June 19th, and are good to return so as to reach your destination by midnight of the 26th. See that your railroad agent is supplied with these coupon tickets in time. These rates are good on:

Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company.

Carolina, Clinchfield and Ohio Railroad Company.

Durham and Southern Railway Company.

Seaboard Air Line Railway Company.

Southern Railway Company.

Winston-Salem Southbound Railway Company.

Hotels and boarding houses: The following hotels and boarding houses offer special rates ranging from $2 to $3 per day, American plan. A card in time to any one of them addressed to Wrightsville Beach, will fix you up for meals and lodging: Oceanic Hotel, Seashore Hotel, Parsley Cottage, Virginia Cottage, Kitty Cottage, Bon Air Cottage, Carolina Cottage, Hanover Inn, Northrop Cottage, Dunn Cottage, Atlantic Cottage, Paris Cottage, Temple Cottage, Seaside Cottage.

The program: The principal subjects for discussion will be: Road Maintenance; Broad Tires; Sign Boards; Federal Aid; The Automobile Tax and Ho wit Should be Used; Use of the State and County Prisoners; State Highways, etc.

The speakers: Those who speak at the convention will be men well fitted by training and experience to discuss the various topics assigned them. There will be a "feast of reason" in good hard facts rather than a "flow of soul" in sentimental oratory. Among the "home folk" who will talk are: Lieut. Governor Daughtridge; Mr. Varner, president of the North Carolina Good Roads Association; Mr. W. S. Fallis, State Highway Engineer; Dr. W. S. Rankin, Secretary State Board of Health; Mr. W. A. McGirt, chairman board of county commissioners of New Hanover county; Mr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, State geologist and secretary State highway commission; Dr. Charles T. Nesbitt, superintendent of health of Wilmington and New Hanover county; Dr. C. P. Ambler, of Asheville; Mr. Leonard Tufts, president of the State Agricultural Society; Hon. H. L. Godwin, of the Sixth district, etc., etc.

Among the out-of-State speakers are: Mr. Charles Henry Davis, president National Highways Association; Mr. C. A. Kenyon, director of the American Highways Association; Mr. J. E. Pennybacker and Mr. D. H. Winslow, of the U. S. office of public roads and rural engineering; Mr. H. G. Shirley, State road engineer of Maryland; Mr. A. G. Batchelor, of the American Automobile Association; Hon. O. L. Evans, president of the Virginia Road Builders Association, etc.

Exhibits: An opportunity will be given companies to exhibit road machinery, culverts, road surfacing material, etc.

Prizes or awards: A number of prizes are being offered to counties and cities having the largest representation present in proportion to distance from Wilmington. Also prizes are offered to counties for certain exhibits.

Amusements and entertainments: The very name "Wrightsville" brings up visions of happy times; but the entertainment committee of the Wilmington Highway Association is planning all kinds of delightful entertainments for the delegates, such as fishing parties, yacht races, souvenir dance, athletic stunts by Rotary Club, stunts by Y. M. C. A. boys, and grand illuminated night parade, which you don't want to miss. If there's a good time in you, it will be obliged to show itself.

Representatives from counties and cities are invited to bring flags, banners and something representative of their county to use in the parade.

Any good citizen of the State can register and count as a delegate in the prize contest.

Meetings will be held in the convention hall and headquarters will be at the Oceanic Hotel.

For any other information, address the North Carolina Good Roads Association, Chapel Hill, N. C.

HOW WILMINGTON WOMEN MAY KEEP THEIR HAIR SOFT AND BEAUTIFUL

Dandruff must be removed and the hair roots nourished to stop falling hair and itching scalp. It is unnecessary to have thin, brittle, matted, wispy or faded locks. No matter how unsightly the hair, how badly it is falling, or how much dandruff, Parisian Sage rubbed into the scalp is all that is ever needed. The hair roots are nourished and stimulated to grow new hair, even all dandruff is removed with one application, and itching scalp and falling hair cease; the hair appears more abundant and is always soft, fluffy and radiant with life and beauty.

Parisian Sage, a daintily perfumed liquid, is one of the most pleasant, invigorating and refreshing hair dressings known, yet perfectly harmless and inexpensive. After the first application you will be surprised and delighted with Parisian Sage, for there is nothing that will so help to double your present attractiveness as luxuriant, glorious hair, and this tonic treatment is all that can possibly be desired.

Be sure to get Parisian Sage from R. R. Bellamy, or at any drug or toilet counuter, as there is no other so effective.

TRIANGLE PICTURES

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THE WORLD'S GREATEST PHOTOPLAYS

Have Been Booked for Presentation at The Royal Theatre Beginning Tomorrow.

REEL TRIANGLE PROGRAM *Tomorrow*

Wm. S. Hart *and* House Peters *in*

"Between Men"

A FIVE-ACT TRIANGLE FINE-ARTS DRAMA.

A Fight to a Finish Both With Brains and Fists, to Save the Fortune of the Friend and Win the Hand of the Daughter! A THRILL A SECOND.

TRIANGLE PICTURES

Bear the same relation to the motion picture art as "sterling" bears to silver—in other words a definite guarantee of supreme quality. Only the best theatre in each town is allowed to present them.

A Triangle Program consists of a five or six reel "Triangle Fine Arts" Drama and a two or three reel Triangle Keystone Comedy, making a seven or eight reel show

Children 10c

Adults 15c

REEL TRIANGLE PROGRAM *Tomorrow*

Chester Conklin

And the Keystone Players in

"Dizzy Heights and Daring Hearts"

A TWO-ACT TRIANGLE-KEYSTONE COMEDY.

Aeroplanes Looping the Loop, the Thrilling Chase of a Biplane, the Miraculous Rescue From the Top of a Tower, and a 200-Foot Smoke Stack Blown Up, are Only a Few of the Thrills in This Great Mack Sennett Keystone Comedy Production.

NOTE SCHEDULE: 11:00, 12:45, 2:30, 4:15, 6:10, 8:00, 9:30 P. M

Tax Listing

A number of Tax Payers have not yet listed. Those failing to list Poll are guilty of a Misdemeanor and subject to indictment.

Real estate not listed is taxed 25 % higher.

The undersigned Listers are at the Court House daily from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except on Saturday, from 9 A. M. to 1 P. M., and from 7 to 9 P. M.

There Will be No Listing After June 30.

WALTER RUTLAND,
B. F. KING,
Tax Listers.

Grand

TOMORROW

Adults 10c -:- Children 5c

Jesse L. Lasky Presents the Supreme Artiste of the Screen

MARIE DORO

In a Photoplay of Heart Interest

"THE HEART of NORA FLYNN"

A Photodrama, revealing glimpses of sweetness and pathos with strong dramatic moments and a powerful but happy climax. Miss Doro in a role of great sympathy and charm.

BY HECTOR TURNBULL — A PARAMOUNT PICTURE

GRAND

Coming Thursday

William A. Brady Presents THE SCREEN'S YOUNGEST EMOTIONAL ARTISTE

FRANCES NELSON

In a Striking Five-Act Film Drama, Based Upon Jules Eckert Goodman's Broadway Success, "The Point of View"

"LOVE'S CRUCIBLE"

The story of a modern girl's fight for Love Against the Forces of Evil

EVERY WOMAN SHOULD SEE IT

Adults 10c - Children 5c

ROYAL

COMING WEDNESDAY

PAULINE FREDERICK

and

THOMAS HOLDING

In Their Great Paramount Feature

"THE MOMENT BEFORE"

DODGE BROTHERS MOTOR CAR

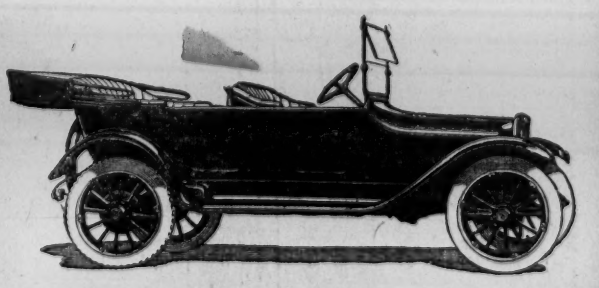
It is establishing a very notable record for low cost of maintenance, and freedom from repair.

Almost any dealer can give you impressive facts and figures in this connection. In and of themselves they constitute a very strong incentive to ownership.

It will pay you to visit us and examine this car

The gasoline consumption is unusually low. The tire mileage is unusually high.

The price of the Touring Car or Roadster complete is $785 (f. o. b. Detroit)



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HIRAM AND CYNTHIA

THE WICKED SOMETIMES ESCAPE

By Alfred Jackson

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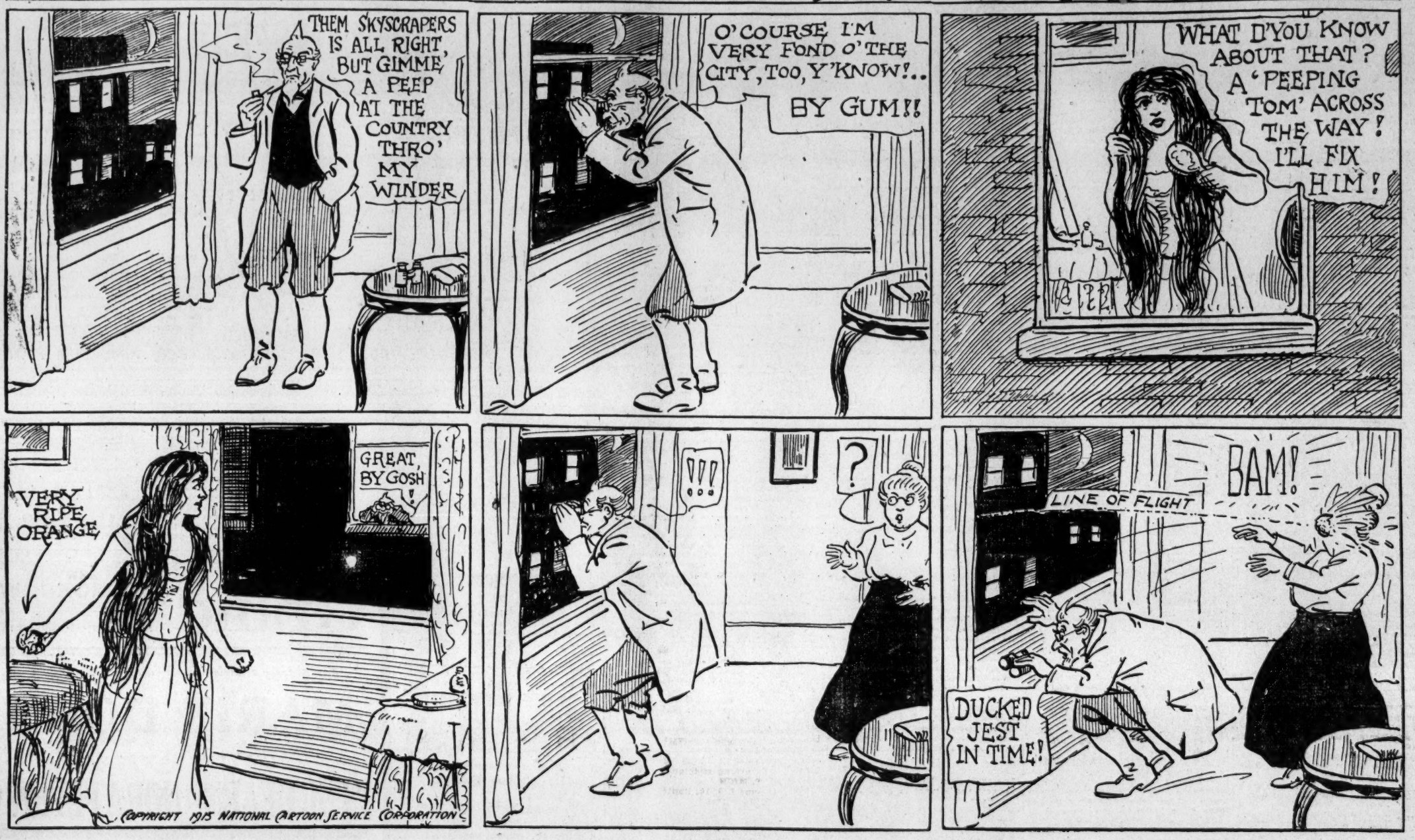
THEM SKYSCRAPERS IS ALL RIGHT, BUT GIMME A PEEP AT THE COUNTRY THRO' MY WINDER
O' COURSE I'M VERY FOND O' THE CITY, TOO, Y'KNOW!.. BY GUM!!
WHAT D'YOU KNOW ABOUT THAT? A 'PEEPING TOM' ACROSS THE WAY! I'LL FIX HIM!
VERY RIPE ORANGE
GREAT, BY GOSH!
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LINE OF FLIGHT
BAM!
DUCKED JEST IN TIME!
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DIPPY DUK

FOR NATIONAL CARTOON SERVICE CORP. N.Y. BY FREUND-WAGENER

THIS GOING AROUND IS ONE-TOUGH-JOB..
SHE OUGHT TO BE GOOD FOR ABOUT TEN DOLLARS
I'M SOLICITING FOR A DRUNK-ARDS HOME AND - - - -
COULDN'T YOU GIVE ME SOMETHING TO HELD US OUT
COME AROUND AT SIX YOU CAN HAVE MY HUBBY.

Chesty deNut

A LEG MORE OR LESS MAKES NO DIFFERENCE WITH CHESTY.

by F.R.Paul

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OH FINE! THIS IS WHERE I'LL LEARN THE TANGO.
I KNOW A FELLER WHO BROKE A LEG TRYING TO LEARN THAT FOOL DANCE
MADEMOISELLE FIADORA GIVES TANGO LESSONS
IT'S WORTH A LEG I SAY!
MADEM FIADO GIVES TANG LESS
AH, FINE! YOU KNOW I AM DIPPY ON DIPPING, FACT IS I AM THE GREATEST LITTLE DIPPER IN NUTTYVILLE!
NOW-DIP!
SLIDE! HUH, THAT'S VERY EASY, YOU KNOW MISS MADANOSELLE I AM A REGULAR EXPERT SLIDER!
BE VAIRY CAIRFOOL MONSIEUR, VEN I SAY "SLIDE" ONE TWO, ONE TWO SLIDE!
STOP!
I CAN'T!
I TOLD YOU SO!
I STILL MAINTAIN THAT IT WAS WORTH A LEG!
PAUL
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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON PRICES STEADIER

Market Was Quieter Yesterday With the General List Closing at Net Advance of 4 to 10 Points.

New York, June 3.—The cotton market was quiet today with prices steadier on covering for over the week-end. July sold up from 12.55 to 12.62, and closed at 12.61, with the general list closing steady at a net advance of 4 to 10 points.

Liverpool was relatively easy and the local market opened at a decline of two points to an advance of two points. Liverpool advices claiming that the market there would request from 45,000 to 50,000 bales per week in order to prevent advances may have brought in a little scattered buying, but the advance to 12.76 for October and 12.91 for December was generally attributed to covering. Closing prices were within a point or two of the best and trading was very quiet, after the first few minutes. The weather map showed continued favorable conditions over the entire South and there was further talk of a comparatively high condition report from the government at the beginning of next month.

	Open	High	Low	Close
July	12.56	12.62	12.56	12.61
October	12.68	12.76	12.68	12.75
December	12.84	12.91	12.84	12.90
January	12.91	12.99	12.90	12.98
March	13.06	13.13	13.06	13.13

Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands 12.70; no sales.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Holiday; receipts, 3,745; exports, 19,114; stock, 245,753.

Galveston — Holiday; receipts, 3,990; stock, 202,083.

Mobile—Middling, 12.63; receipts, 545; stock, 30,317.

Savannah — Holiday; receipts, 1,003; stock, 125,939.

Charleston — Holiday; receipts, 182; exports, 6,420; stock, 49,853.

Wilmington—Middling, 12¼; receipts, 219; stock, 58,766.

Texas City—Stock, 4,329.

Norfolk — Middling, 12.36; receipts, 706; sales, 853; stock, 72,131.

Baltimore—Middling, 12¾; stock, 5,508.

Boston—12.70; receipts, 56; stock, 10,850.

Philadelphia — Middling, 12.95; receipts, 20; stock, 1,845.

New York—Middling, 12.70; exports, 173; stock, 226,733.

Minor Ports—Receipts, 6,382; exports, 6,199; stock, 19,125.

Total today—Receipts, 16,848; exports, 31,906; sales, 853; stock, 1,053,232.

Total for week—Receipts, 16,848; exports, 31,906; sales, 853.

Total for season—Receipts, 7,089,903; exports, 5,037,454.

Interior Movement.

Houston — Holiday; receipts, 1,189; shipments, 2,672; stock, 64,335.

Memphis—Middling, 13.00; receipts, 558; shipments, 2,130; sales, 325; stock, 89,866.

Augusta—Middling, 12.44; receipts, 117; shipments, 2,227; sales, 500; stock, 87,486.

St. Louis—Holiday; stock, 13,978.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 737; shipments, 437; sales, 300; stock, 9,557.

Little Rock—Holiday; stock, 18,770.

Total today—Receipts, 2,601; shipments, 7,466; sales, 1,135; stock, 283,992.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, June 3. — Cotton—Spot, unchanged; good middling, 8.59; middling, 8.43; low middling, 8.35; sales, 8,500, including 500 for speculation and export. Receipts, 8,000. Futures, quiet. June, 8.14½; June and July, 8.09½; July-August, 8.05½; August-September, 7.97½; September-October, 7.87; October-November, 7.79; November-December, 7.74; December-January, 7.71; January-February, 7.68½; February-March, 7.67½; March-April, 7.66½; April-May, 7.65½; May-June, 7.64½.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, June 3. — Cotton seed oil was generally higher on buying of July by refiners and week-end covering but interest in the market was small. Final prices were five points higher, on old, and one lower to two net higher on new crop months; sales, 3,100 barrels. Closed steady. Sales, 3,100. Prime summer yellow, spot, 10.80; prime crude, 9.60, nominal; prime winter yellow, 11.00; prime summer white, 11.00; July, 10.84; August, 10.85; September, 10.84; October, 10.00; December, 9.08.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, June 3. — Hogs—Lower. Bulk, 9.55@9.70; lights, 9.00@9.65; mixed, 9.30@9.75; heavy, 9.20@9.80; rough, 9.20@9.35; pigs, 7.00@8.75.

Cattle—Weak. Ntaive beef cattle, 8.00@11.05; stockers and feeders, 6.00@9.00; cows and heifers, 4.00@9.60; calves, 8.00@11.25.

Sheep — Weak. Wethers, 7.00@8.25; lambs, 7.75@10.35; springs, 8.50@11.50.

WEEK'S BANK STATEMENT.

New York, June 3. — The statement of the actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold $55,850,340 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of $9,125,010 from last week.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, June 3. — Cotton goods were quiet today, with an easier tendency in print cloths. Yarns were quiet and linens were firm. Knit goods were in active demand for Spring. Wool goods were firmer.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, June 3. — Mercantile paper, 3¼. Sterling, sixty day bills, 4.72¾; demand, 4.75 13-16; cables, 4.76½. Bar silver, 64¾. Mexican dollars, 49¾. Government bonds, firm. Railroad bonds, easy.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, June 3.—Beeves—No trading. Calves, Virginia veals, 9.00@12.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Steady. Sheep, 5.00@7.00; culls, 4.00@4.50; yearlings, 7.00@8.50; lambs, 10.75@12.25.

Hogs—No trading.

Washington, June 3. — Total resources of Federal Reserve banks decreased by more than $10,000,000 during the week ending June 2, according to the board's statement, made public today.

MARINE.

ARRIVED

Str. Cherokee, Bunnell, New York, C. J. Becker, Agent.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.) 3,288 tons, Hollaach, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.) 3,873 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE June 3.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—38 1-2c.

ROSIN—$4.60, $4.50.

TAR—$1.90-9c.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$3.50, $3.50, $2.50.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 38 3-4c; rosin, $2.60; tar, $1.60-7½c.; crude turpentine, $2.50, $2.50, $1.50.

RECEIPTS.

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Rosin ... ... (—)

Tar ... ... (—)

Crude Turpentine ... ... (—)

Receipts — Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, (—) casks; rosin, (—) barrels; tar, 14 barrels; crude turpentine, (—) barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—12⅜c.; quotations same day last year, 8⅜c.

Receipts 219 bales; same day last year 218 bales.

Total receipts since August 1st, to date, 197,699 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 272,768 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Atlantic Coast Line—219 bales cotton.

Total—219 bales cotton.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, June 3).

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, 50c per bushel.

IRISH POTATOES—$1.00.

CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.

BEEF—Native dressed, 9c. to 11c.; good demand.

PORK—Small, 8@10c. per pound.

WOOL—Burry, 17c.; first class, 28c.

HIDES—Green salt, 12c. to 14c.; dry, flint, 17@20c per lb.; good demand.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 18c.; sides and shoulders, 14c. to 15c. per pound, good demand.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c per pound; good demand.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 50c. to 55c.; spring, 20c. to 30c. head. Geese, 55c to 60c per head. Ducks, 35c to 50c owing to quality. Turkeys, 18c per lb, alive.; 20c to 22c dressed.

EGGS—18c. and 19c. dozen.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, June 3. — North Carolina Peanuts—Market, steady. Fancy hand picked, 70c; No. 1 machine picked, 65c per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Market, steady. Jumbos, 60c; fancy hand picked, 55c; No. 1, machine picked, 50c per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts—Market steady; No. 1, small, machine picked, 80c; Jumbos, 75c per bushel.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., June 3.—Spanish—Farmers' stock—Market steady, $1.05 per bushel.

Virginias—Farmers' stock—Market, firm. Jumbo, 4c per lb.; Fancy hand picked, 3¾c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 3½c. per lb.; Prime, 3¼c. per lb.; Shelling stock, 2½c. to 3c. per lb.

COTTON GOODS MARKET

New York, June 3.—Prices have softened a little on some constructions of wide printcloths during the past week, while trading has been principally between second hands and in small volume. Outside of these lines there has been little sign of weakening in any quarter and it is stated by traders that any demand for more goods to be made by mills will quickly bring about a restoration of values. Bleached sheetings, branded brown sheetings, and colored cottons show no change.

There has been the usual irregularities noticed at this season of the year in a few lines of fine and fancy cottons but even in this quarter selling agents have made no change and the declines have occurred in second hand distribution. The week passed without any evidence of increased interest among jobbers for goods for fall, in addition to the large quantities for which commitments have already been made.

Mills continue to run as full as labor ordered well thus far, despite the very drastic price uplift made necessary by the high costs of yarns. Export trade in cotton goods continue large, and many new markets are buying.

Prices quoted on cotton goods are as follows: Printcloths, 28-inch 64 by 64s, 4 1-4c; 64 by 60s, 5 1-8c; 38 1-2 inch 64 by 64s 5 7-8c, and 6c; brown sheetings, Southern standards, 8½-8c; denims 2.20's, indigo, 18c; tickings, 8 ounce, 15 1-2c; prints, 7c, staple ginghams, 8c; dress ginghams, 10 1-2c.

"DISGRACE" SLOWLY LIFTING

Typhoid Fever Death Rate for Large Cities Shows Decrease.

That typhoid fever, our so-called national disgrace, is disappearing at least from the larger cities is according to figures recently given out by the American Medical Association. The mortality rate from typhoid fever for America's fifty-seven largest cities, those having a population over 100,000, was 8.65 per 100,000 in 1915 as compared with 12.77 in 1913. Other figures showing that our national disgrace is growing less each year are that thirty-two cities had a rate under 10 during 1915 against 24 in 1914, and 19 in 1913. Five cities, Newark, N. J., Seattle, Milwaukee, Omaha and Cambridge have a rate of less than 5 per 100,000. These constitute the honor roll and set the standard for other cities and towns.

"These figures," says the State Board of Health, "represent only the deaths from typhoid fever and none of the expense, the suffering, the disabilities and complications that usually arise and persist for life. Besides these serious after-effects, there are the carriers and other sources of infection made possible by one or more cases. Typhoid breeds typhoid. A town or community which permits an epidemic of this disease not only brings upon itself the stigma of disgrace, but a moral and a social responsibility."

AUTOMOBILE ISSUES GAIN

Further Bidding Up of Special Stocks Marked Trading—Sugars and Shipping Shares Go Up.

New York, June 3.—Further feverish bidding up of special stocks marked today's brief market in which automobile issues held almost absolute sway with some gains of sensational proportions and consequent new maximums.

New Records scored today included Willys-Overland common, which rose 20 points to 314 with three for the preferred at 111 1-4 and Chandler Motors up 11 5-8 to 121 1-8 while General Motors made the extraordinary gain of 87 points to 549 within easy distance of its high record.

Sugars and shipping shares trailed along, Cuban American sugar rising 14 to 234, wit' a 15-point gain in South Porto Rico Sugar at 224 7-8. The advance in these stocks was associated with rumors of heavy buying by the refiners. Mercantile Marine preferred recovered to 98 1-8 within the smallest fraction of its high record made the preceding day.

Rails and international issues as a whole were sentimentally affected by the news from abroad, Norfolk & Western, however, being the only noteworthy exception on its advance of 4 1-2 points to the new maximum of 134 1-2. Prominent industrials and war issues figured unimportantly in the days' one-sided operations. Total sales 370,000 shares. Bonds were lower. Total sales, par value, $1,840,000.

Government bonds were persistently heavy on call during the week, with declines varying from 1-4 to 1 3-4 per cent, including Panama issues.

NE WYORK STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers	27
American Beet Sugar	77⅞
American Can	55½
American Car and Foundry	59
American Cotton Oil	52¾
American Locomotive	71½
American Smelting	96¾
American Sugar	110½
American Tel. and Tel	129¾
American Tobacco	203
Anaconda Copper	83⅜
Atchison	105⅛
Atlantic Coast Line	113
Baldwin Locomotive	88⅞
Baltimore and Ohio	91¾
Bathlehem Steel	445
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	87½
Canadian Pacific	174
Central Leather	54
Chesapeake and Ohio	63½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	99
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry	20⅝
Consolidated Gas	138
Continental Can	100
Crucible Steel	83
Erie	38⅜
General Electric	169½
Great Northern, pfd	121⅝
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	39½
Illinois Central	103½
Interborough Consol. Corp	17½
Kansas City Southern	26½
Lehigh Valley	82½
Louisville and Nashville	129
Liggett and Meyers	245
Lorillard Co	211
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	10¼
Missouri Pacific	6
Mexican Petroleum	107
National Lead	66⅞
New York Central	106⅛
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	61¼
Norfolk and Western	134⅜
Northern Pacific	114½
Pennsylvania	58⅜
Reading	100¾
Rep. Iron and Steel	47½
Seaboard Air Line	16
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	40
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	52½
Studebaker Corporation	141¾
Southern Pacific	98½
Southern Railway	23
Southern Railway, pfd	66
Tennessee Copper	43½
Texas Co	191
Texas and Pacific	11
Union Pacific	137¾
United States Rubber	56
United States Steel	83¾
United States Steel, pfd	117⅜
Utah Copper	81½
Virginia-Caro. Chem	42
Va. Iron, Coal and Coke	53
Wabash, pfd., "B" Ctfs	28⅝
Western Union	95
Westinghouse Electric	61¼
United Fruit	160½
Kennecott Copper	53⅛

FEAST OF WEEKS WEDNESDAY

Jewish Pentacost, or Shebouth, Will Be Celebrated Throughout Judaism On June Seventh.

The Jewish Pentacost or feast of weeks, (Shebouth) will be celebrated on the 7th of June. Its name is derived from the fact that it is celebrated seven weeks after the second day of Passover. All the Biblical injunctions as to the manner in which the feast was to be observed indicate that it was originally agricultural in character. It was in reality a season of thanksgiving for the harvests that had been reaped, beginning with the barley harvest during the Passover to the wheat harvest at the beginning of the summer. The ceremonial offerings prescribed were in keeping with the God-given gifts of the soil that had been gathered.

In post-biblical times this feast was observed as the anniversary of the birth of Judaism with the promulgation of the divine law at Sinai. On his "Day of the Giving of the Law," as it was called by the rabbis, the ten commandments constitute part of the Scripture readings in the Synagog. It is this historical aspect of the feast that has been emphasized, in the non-agricultural life, which the Jews were compelled to live for centuries.

When the reform synagog introduced the rite of confirmation for the Jewish youth, the Pentecost, by virtue of its traditional association with the ancient revelation, was the day most naturally selected for charging the young boys and girls through an impressive public ceremony, with the meaning of the Jewish faith and with the duty of leading a high and religious and moral life.

The agricultural side of the feast, however, was not lost sight of, in that it was customary to decorate home and synagog with plants and flowers in season. In addition to a portion from the Pentateuch, the charming story of Ruth was prescribed in the synagog because the idyllic scene of harvesting which it contains was in keeping with the celebration of the harvest feast. Those observing customs that originated in post-biblical times add a second day to that enjoined in the Bible.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

June 4, 1916.

Meteorological data for the day ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 73 degrees; at 8 P. M., 75 degrees; maximum, 81 degrees; minimum, 67 degrees; mean, 74 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, .00 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M. Friday, 7.8 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina: Probably fair Sunday and Monday.

The Port Calendar, June 4, 1916.

Sun rises ... ...5:01 A. M.
Sun sets ...7:20 P. M.
Day's length ...14 hrs. 19 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	12:02	12:00	7:36	7:33
Southport	9:59	10:20	4:21	4:15
Masonboro Inlet	9:48	10:09	4:01	3:55

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS
June 3, 1916.

STATIONS:	Temperature: Weather at 8 P. M.	Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 8 P.M.
Abilene	clear	94	70	.0
Asheville	clear	78	62	.28
Atlanta	cldy	82	70	.02
Augusta	rain	88	70	.04
Baltimore	cldy	80	..	.04
Birmingham	cldy	82	72	.0
Boston	rain	76	54	.10
Charleston	cldy	84	72	.0
Charlotte	clear	84	68	.01
Chicago	clear	74	54	.16
Galveston	clear	84	78	.0
Jaxville	clear	86	68	.0
Memphis	cldy	76	66	.28
Mobile	cldy	88	74	.0
Montgomery	cldy	88	70	.0
N. Orleans	pt cldy	92	76	.0
New York	rain	68	58	.06
Oklahoma	cldy	82	60	.0
Palestine	clear	88	72	.0
Pittsburg	clear	70	62	1.12
Raleigh	clear	82	64	.64
Savannah	pt cldy	88	68	.0
Shreveport	cldy	84	76	.0
St. Louis	clear	74	60	.0
Wash'ton	pt cldy	78	66	.02

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY

The Progressive Railway of the South.
Bulletin of Round-Trip Fares in Effect from Wilmington.

CHICAGO, ILL. ... $33.20
On sale June 2, 3, 4 and 6th; limited returning midnight June 22nd.

ST. LOUIS, MO. ... $35.55
On sale June 9, 10 and 11th; limited returning midnight June 25th.

ROCK HILL, S. C. ... $8.90
On sale June 12, 13, 16, 28, 29 and 30; limited returning midnight July 31st.

DETROIT, MICH. ... $29.85
On sale June 8, 9, 10; limited returning midnight June 21st.

LAFAYETTE, IND. ... $37.25
On sale June 2, 3, 4; limited returning midnight June 14.

BALTIMORE, MD. ... $14.80
On sale July 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9th; limited returning midnight July 19th.

CHAPEL HILL STATION, N. C. ... $7.30
On sale June 12 to 17th, and July 3, 10th; limited returning midnight August 1st.

ASHEVILLE, N. C. ... $14.05

BLACK MOUNTAIN, N. C. ... $14.05

HENDERSONVILLE, N. C. ... $14.05

HICKORY, N. C. ... $10.85

EDGEMONT, N. C. ... $12.85

PINEOLA, N. C. ... $10.30

LENOIR, N. C. ... $11.85
Tickets on sale Daily until October 15th, limited returning Midnight October 31st

LAKE JUNALUSKA, N. C. ... $12.55

WAYNESVILLE, N. C. ... $12.55
On sale July 9 to 11; July 21 to 24, inclusive; July 28 to August 1, inclusive; August 6 to 9, inclusive; limited returning midnight, July 26, August 17 and 28th.

BLACK MOUNTAIN, N. C. ... $9.90

RIDGE CREST, N. C. ... $9.90
On sale June 5, 6, 15, 16, 26, 27, 29 and 30th; July 6, 7, 13, 14, 20, 21 and 28; August 1, 4, 14, 15 and 22nd; limited returning midnight 17 days after date of sale.

NASHVILLE, TENN ... $20.25
On sale June 12, 14, 15, 16, 19, 24; July 20, 22 and 24th; limited returning 15 days from date of sale.

ASHLAND, VA ... $10.15

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA. ... $10.35
On sale June 18 to 26th; limited returning 15 days from date of sale; tickets can be extended payment $1.00.

CINCINNATI, OHIO ... $20.50
On sale July 14, 15 and 16th; limited returning Midnight July 25th.

VICKSBURG, MISS ... $36.75
On sale June 12, 13 and 14; limited returning midnight June 22nd.

KNOXVILLE, TENN ... $15.70
On sale June 18, 19, 20, 24, 25 and July 1, 2, 3 and 15th; limited returning midnight 15 days following date of sale.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL ... $92.70
On sale June 8 to 15; July 22 to 29; limit two months.

PORTLAND, ORE ... $94.95
On sale June 8 to 15; July 22 to 29, inclusive; limit, two months.

SAVANNAH, GA ... $10.90
On sale August 12, 13 and 14; limited returning midnight, August 31st.

BUFFALO, N. Y. ... $30.05
On sale July 8, 9 and 10; limited returning midnight July 23rd.

PHILADELPHIA, PA. ... $22.30
On sale June 22, 23 and 24; limited returning midnight July 5th.

LYTLE, GA. ... $18.60
(Near Chattanooga), and return, account National Military Training Camp at Fort Oglethorpe. Tickets on sale during April, May, June, July and August. See ticket agent for limits and other information.

For further information call Phone 178, City Ticket Office, Orton Hotel Building.

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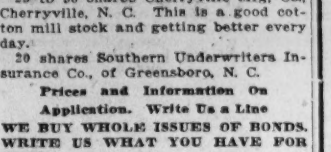

SUMMER SCHEDULE.
Effective June 4th, 1916.
DAILY
Leaves Wilmington for Carolina Beach and Southport, 9 A. M. and 2:30 P. M.
Leaves Southport, 11:45 A. M. and 4:45 P. M.
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$37.25 Lafayette, Ind.
Account National Convention Travelers' Protective Association. Tickets on sale June 2, 3 and 4; limited returning until June 14.

$32.20—Chicago, Ill.,
Account Republican National Convention and Progressive National Convention. Tickets on sale June 2, 3, 4 and 6, limited returning June 22.

$35.55—St. Louis, Mo.,
Account National Democratic Convention. Tickets on sale June 9, 10 and 11, limited returning June 25.

$7.30—Chapel Hill, N. C.,
Account Summer School University of N. C. College. Tickets on sale June 12, 13, 14, 15 15, 17 and July 3 and 10; limited returning August 1.

$22.30—Philadelphia, Pa.,
Account Associated Advertising Clubs of the World. Tickets on sale June 22, 23 and 24, limited returning until June 5.

$10.15—Ashland, Va., and $10.35—Charlottesville, Va.,
Account Summer School, University of Virginia. Tickets on sale June 18 to 26, inclusive; limited returning 15 days after date of sale, except that tickets sold to Ashland may be extended to September 30 by depositing same and paying $1.00.

$18.80—Chattanooga, Tenn., and Lytle, Ga.,
Account National Military Training Camp at Ft. Oglethorpe. Tickets on sale May 1, 2, 3 and 31; June 1, 2 and 3, and July 2, 3, 4 and 5; limited returning until about one month and five days after date of sale. See Agents for particulars.

$14.80—Baltimore, Md.,
Account Grand Lodge Elks (B. P. O. E.). Tickets on sale July 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9; limited returning July 19.

$30.05—Buffalo, N. Y.,
Account Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, Imperial Council. Tickets on sale July 8, 9 and 10, limited returning until July 23.

$20.50—Cincinnati, O.,
Account International Rotary Clubs' Convention. Tickets on sale July 14, 15 and 16; limited returning until July 25.

$20.25—Nashville, Tenn.,
Account Peabody College Summer School. Tickets on sale June 12, 14, 15, 16, 19 and 24; July 22 and 24; limited returning until 15 days after date of sale.

$10.90—Savannah, Ga.,
Account Grand Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles. Tickets on sale August 12, 13 and 14; limited returning until August 31.

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DEPARTURES	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS
No. 90. 8:40 A.M Daily except Sunday	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad.	No 91. 1:15 A.M. Daily except Monday
No. 51. 5:30 A.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Ft Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive outbound passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied, inbound, until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50. 12:20 A.M. Daily.
No. 64. 5:15 A.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations	No 65. 6:15 P.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only.
No. 48. 7:40 A.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Parlor car, Wilmington to Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.	Daily. No. 49. 6:05 P.M.
No 53. 8:45 A.M. Daily.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No 52. 8:00 P.M. Daily.
No. 62. 3:25 P.M. Daily.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate stations.	No. 63. 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 58. 3:45 P.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Columbia, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida points. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, August and Atlanta. Pullman cars between Florence and Columbia.	No. 54. 12:50 P. M. Daily.
No. 59. 6:30 P.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60. 10:15 A.M. Tues., Thurs., Sat. only.
No. 42. 6:45 P.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41 9:50 A.M. Daily.

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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

IN EFFECT SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 1916

WEEK - DAYS

Lv. "Electric Centre"	Lv. Beach.
6.15 A. M.	6.05 A. M.
6.55 A. M.	7.10 A. M.
7.25 A. M.	7.40 A. M.
8.00 A. M.	8.15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
5.30 P. M.	5.45 P. M.
6.10 P. M.	6.20 P. M.
6.30 P. M.	6.50 P. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	7.15 P. M.
11.00 P. M.	and every half hour thereafter until
12.10 A. M.	11.45 P. M.

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FREIGHT

Lv. Wilmington	Lv. Beach.
6.00 A. M.	7.05 A. M.
9.30 A. M.	12.15 P. M.
3.30 P. M.	6.15 P. M.
7.00 P. M.	8.15 P. M.

Freight Depot open daily, except Sunday, from 8:00 A. M. until 1:00 P. M., and from 2:00 P. M. until 7:00 P. M.

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SUNDAYS

Lv. "Electric Centre"	Lv. Beach.
7.00 A. M.	6.40 A. M.
8.30 A. M.	7.45 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9.15 A. M.
11.00 P. M.	and every half hour thereafter until
12.10 A. M.	11.45 P. M.

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Lv. Wilmington	Lv. Beach.
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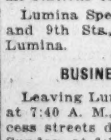

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Effective May 28th, 1916.

DEPARTURE OF TRAINS FROM WILMINGTON:

No. 13—3:55 P. M.—Train for Charlotte and Intermediate Points. PULLMAN PARLOR CAR, WILMINGTON TO CHARLOTTE.

THROUGH DAILY PULLMAN SERVICE ATLANTA TO WILMINGTON — ALL STEEL CARS. THROUGH SLEEPER ON FRIDAYS, THROUGH SLEEPER TO BIRMINGHAM.

No. 19—5:00 A. M.—Train for Charlotte and Intermediate Points. SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND CHARLOTTE. Open at 10:00 P. M. for Passengers.

ARRIVAL OF TRAINS AT WILMINGTON:

No. 14—12:40 P. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. PULLMAN PARLOR CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON.

THROUGH DAILY PULLMAN SERVICE ATLANTA TO WILMINGTON — ALL STEEL CARS. THROUGH SLEEPER FROM BIRMINGHAM SATURDAY.

No. 20—12:10 A. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON. PASSENGERS MAY REMAIN IN SLEEPER UNTIL 7:00 A. M.

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(Continued From Page One.)

by their service and the presence of the six Zeppelins in the North Sea. The popular belief among the British public is that scouting Zeppelins kept the German fleet informed by wireless of the approach of their enemy, of his numbers and formation.

Thrilling Stories.

From survivors come thrilling stories of the horrors and humanities. The British destroyer Shark acted as a decoy to lead the German ships into the engagement. She was batted to pieces by gun fire, and a half dozen sailors, picked up clinging to a buoy by a Danshe ship, tell of her commander and two seamen serving her only remaining gun to the last minute, when the commander's leg was blown off.

There are stories of ships sinking with a great explosion; of crews going down singing the national anthem, of merchant ships passing throgh a sea thick with floating bodies.

Two Clergymen Missing.

The life boat with German survivors from the German cruiser Elbing rescued Surgeon Burton of the British destroyer Tipperary. He had sustained four wounds. Two well known London clergy who had volunteer to serve as chaplain at the beginning of the war, Mr. Lindell and Mr. Lepatourel, both of the Church of England, are among the missing. Mr. Lindell, a nephew of Field Marshall Viscount French, was to have been married at London Monday.

Portsmouth in Mourning

Portsmouth is a town of mourning. Three thousand of the men who went into the battle came from Portsmouth and most of them leave families.

The admiralty has been crowded all day with anxious men and women of all classes trying to learn of the fate of relatives. Only the names of surviving officers were published today. Accurate casualty lists cannot be issued until the identity is known of the survivors who have been taken to Holland and Scandinavian ports.

The admiralty has no information concerning a report that the German dreadnaught Hindenburg was sunk.

BRITANNIA "RULES THE WAVES" UNDISPUTABLY, SAYS CHURCHILL

London, June 3.—Great Britain still holds undisputed supremacy of the seas in the judgment of Winston Spencer Churchill, recently first lord of the admiralty, who now has resumed his parliamentary duties after service with his regiment at the front, and whose opinion on naval matters are still eagerly sought in England. Colonel Churchill gave the Associated Press the following statement today:

"I have had an opportunity of examining the reports of the admirals and of considering the information in the possession of the admiralty. The following facts seem to me to be established:

"The naval supremacy of the British fleet in capital ships depends upon the superdreadnaughts armed with 13.5-inch and 15-inch guns, and these are sufficient by themselves to maintain control of the seas. Of these vital units of the rank we have only lost one—the Queen Mary. There appears to be no doubt that the Germans have lost at least one comparable ship. If this should be the Lutzow or the Derrflinger, the vessel is a heavier loss to them actually and relatively than the Queen Mary is to us.

"Coming to the vessels of the second order, we have lost the Indefatigable and the Invincible. There are of an entirely different class from the superdreadnaughts and, valuable vessels as they are, do not rank as primary units at the present time. A dreadnaught battleship of the Westfallen type will be a loss comparable to either.

"The armored cruisers Black Prince, Defence and Warrior belonged to the third order of ships of which we possess a very large superiority. The sinking of the two brand new German light cruisers, Wiesbaden and Elbing, is, in fact, a more grievous loss to the enemy.

"In all these vessels, the most serious feature is the loss of their splendid and irreplacable crews. The destroyer casualties appear to be about equal. On these terms we, being the stronger, are the gainers. Our flotillas have long sought such opportunities. Our margin of superiority is in no way impaired. The dispatch of troops to the continent should continue with the utmost freedom, the battered condition of the German fleet being an additional security to us.

"The hazy weather, the fall of night and the retreat of the enemy alone frustrated the persevering efforts of our brilliant commanders, Sir John Jellicoe and Sir David Beatty, to force a final decision. Although it was possible to compel the German main fleet to accept battle, the conclustons reached are of extreme importance. All classes of vessels on both sides have now met and we know that there are no surprises or unforeseen features. An accurate measure can be taken of the strength of the enemy and his definite inferiority is freed from any element of uncertainty. The fast division of Queen Elizabeth's seems to have vindicated all the hopes reposed in them.

"I cannot record these acts without expressing my profound sympathy with those who have lost their dearest ones. Many of the most gallant sailors our island has ever nurtured and some of our most splendid officers have gone, but they have died as they would have wished to die, in a blue water action, which, as it is studied, will more and more be found to be a definite step toward the attainment of complete victory."

CRITICS OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S POLICY ASSAILED

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"This mental attitude makes one wonder if the sensibilities of the American people become so blunted by materialism that they think as much of the loss of their property as they do of the loss of the lives of their fellow countrymen. Such an idea is repugnant to a liberty-loving American; it is utterly wanting in the nobler impulses of a great people; it is hostile to the spirit of true Americanism. Yet it exists and is widespread and must be reckoned with.

"This attitude of mind of a portion of our people increases the difficulties of diplomacy. It is almost impossible to present a strong and unbending front in a controversy unless a united and determined nation is behind you. Futhermore, the knowledge that our people are not a unit in supporting a vigorous policy encourages a foreign government to resist our protests feeling sure that we must withdraw or modify them. I firmly believe that the American people will, one of these days, crush out this influence and become as they should be, a great united nation, jealous of their rights and eager to defend their honor regardless of personal sacrifice.

Keep Some Conditions Secret.

"When you disapprove of some course of action taken by this government, be lenient in your judgment for very often the action is the result of conditions which cannot be made public and which may never be made public.

"Let me add just a word. When the foreign policies of the government are criticised by honest critics—I mean by 'honest' critics, those who are not influenced solely by political considerations or personal ambitions—I often wonder what the critics would do if they had the responsibility. Would they be so bellicose? Would they make demands when it was questionable they could compel compliance? Would they count the full cost of their action? I wonder whether they would be radical or conservative? Responsibility makes a world of difference in a man's point of view. When a few words may plunge this country into war, the man who has the power to utter these words will think a long, long time, before he exercises that power.

Must Move Cautiously.

"He will submit to a deal of criticism, and endure abuse and ridicule rather than see the young men of America sent forth to die o nthe battlefield. Only the supreme necessity of maintaining the honor of the United States or of defending its independence and the liberties of its people will induce him to speak the fateful words which may bring death to thousands of his fellow countrymen and change the destinies of the republic.

"Those who are prone to blame the government because it does not demand and threaten ought to consider very veriously what it would mean to the nation if their wishes were carried out. If they were responsible for the consequences would they give the counsel which as private citizens they are so ready to give?"

ST. ANDREW'S CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR WIN TWO BANNERS

In Statewide Contest—Awarded at the Charlotte Convention.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Charlotte, N. C., June 3. — The report of the committee on awarding banners reported late tonight the two-year banner was again awarded to St. Andrew's Society, Wilmington, as well as the Junior Banner to the Junior Society of St. Andrew's. The one-year banner goes to the Friends' Society, at High Point.

The Charlotte Union did the noble thing as was announced tonight in declining the money collected in registration fees. They are bearing the entire expense of the convention, and have turned the sum of $150 Registration money over to the State Treasury.

Coming in yesterday on trains decorated appropriately were the delegates from Wilmington and Greensboro. The addresses of welcome by four of the foremost citizens in behalf of the city, district, city union and church were followed by a response from Mr. E. M. Shepherd, of Winston-Salem. By far the most interesting and instructive part of the programme of the afternoon was the Junior and Intermediate rally conducted by Mrs. Lewis McFarland, of High Point.

The programme as rendered by the children was the most impressive rendered at any convention for the last three years. It opened by the recitation in concert of the first Psalm. This was followed by a song, the 23rd Psalm and the Lord's Prayer in concert. One of the members then sang a solo which was most effective. The questioning of the members and the ready answering of those present on the Bible was wonderful. These questions included the naming of the books of the Old Testament. This was done without a mistake as was the balance of the programme.

Mr. Karl Lehmann followed with a plea for more Intermediate societies in the State. Besides him on the platform stood three experts, those who had passed successfully the course offered in this branch. These were three of the 23 experts in the State and they were presented to the audience as the first in the South to appear publicly before a convention. Stewart Covel and Graham Farmer, of Wilmington, appeared in this number.

Mrs. McFarland reported that the Junior work is in five denominations in the State with a total of 509 members. She made special reference to the fact that St. Andrew's Society, Wilmington, has given 1,050 credits during the year to children for memory work in connection with the society.

After the usual devotional exercises, President Geo. L. Mitchell made a very encouraging report on the year's work. This was only a summary, as the other reports were to follow. He pointed out that this year had been one of Christ-like Endeavor. Up to Friday afternoon there had been 180 paid registrations, surpassing any previous convention. A comparative statement for the past two years shows over 200 societies now against 154 last year and a double contribution, making $600.

E. J. Harold, an active member of the Union, has left the State and B. B. Reynolds, of Wilmington, has been appointed transportation manager for the State. This last officer was appointed in vie wof the Atlanta and the present conventions.

North Carolina, as one of the twelve states, has helped to support the All South Movement. That campaign for millions, as suggested by Dr. F. E. Clark, has been dopted and the prospect is very bright for the coming year.

Concerts at Lumina Today.

Don Richardson's orchestra, 3:30 to 8:30. (Advertisement).

GREATEST PRACTICAL STEP IN DIRECTION OF PREPAREDNESS

National Road Systems Covering Every Section of the Country.

Washington, D. C., June 3.—"Another ten years will see National road systems covering every section of the country—the greatest practical step in the direction of preparedness that could be made," comments Dr. H. M. Rowe, the newly elected president of the American Automobile Association, from the Washington headquarters.

"In a decade we will begin to have separate roads for freight traffic and passenger traffic," predicts Dr. Rowe, "and the horse and mule will have practically disappeared. Our present highways will be greatly multiplied and largely increased in width and improved in quality. No other country on the face of the earth can make such good and profitable use of good roads as the United States of America. We will eventually excel in that as we do in many other things. There have been wonderful changes in all matters relating to transportation since the introduction of the motor-car, but there are still greater things to come.

"But equal justice and fair treatment for the users of motor vehicles must continue to be sought for some time to come. Everything the motorists ask for, everything the A. A. A. and the clubs affiliated with it have worked for, has been based on these principles. We have worked for good roads for the reason that they are of equal economic benefit in the final analysis to all, and it is only just and right that the people of the country should have the advantages to which they are entitled. We have worked for unrestricted intercourse between the states through the use of motor cars, because that is a constitutional right that has been denied us. We have asked for equal taxation. That is another constitutional right that has been set aside, partly because we submitted to it willingly, I admit, but it is an injustice and constitutes unfair treatment just the same.

"In addition, the owners of motor cars are being subjected to all sorts of petty annoyances: special taxes, licenses, and rules and regulations regarding traffic, use of lights, and many restrictions seldom alike in two places, and which subject decent men and women to arrest and conviction, often for the most trivial reasons. There are many who look upon an arrest of any kind as a disgrace, and when one is innocent of any intentional wrong, his arrest becomes a shameful disgrace, not only to him but upon the community which permits it.

"Much has been accomplished, it is true. But there yet remains much to be accomplished before it can be truthfully said that the owner of a motor car is not subjected to annoyances and unfair treatment, which is not visited upon those who employ other road vehicles.

"So we have our work out for us and certainly the American Automobile Association has a great mission to perform. Its friends are inspired by the thought that the body is going to further increase its prestige until it shall possess the power and influence that it rightfully should exert as the National spokesman of the interests of the motorists of the entire country.

"No matter what the organization may be, however, it must work unselfishly and for the common interest of its members. The large majority of motorists are men of large views. They are capable of seeing things in the big. Their efforts should be of the same character."

GERMANS POSSIBLY LOST 8 WARSHIPS

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small cruiser Elbing, which on the night of May 31-June 1, owing to a collision with other German war vessels, was heavily damaged, and it was impossible to take her to port. The crew was rescued by torpedo boats, with the exception of the commander, two other officers and 18 men, who remained aboard in order to blow up the vessel.

"According to Dutch reports, they were later brought to Ymuiden on a tug and landed there."

Washington, June 3. — President Wilson today signed the army reorganization bill, first of the important preparedness measures passed by Congress during the present session. The President ued a pen belonging to Senator Smith, of South Carolina.

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70 ACRES, CLAY SUB-SOIL LAND, 35 cleared, macadamized road; half mile electric car line and on salt water, for sale. Very low price. It's a bargain. See L. W. Moore, Real Estate agency, 123 Princess street. je 4-1t

FOR SALE—TUESDAY, JUNE 6TH, one car load extra fine full blooded Jersey milch cows. C. D. Gilbert, Box 817, Wilmington, N. C. je 4-1t

WANTED—HOME FOR NICE BABY few days old. Apply to "Doctor," care The Star. je4-1t*

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